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BRIGHTER FOR RURAL SCHOOL

CITY INSTITUTIONS CROWDED TAXATION TO LIMIT

J.C.GODBEY SPEAKER

State High School Inspector in Address at County Teachers Meeting This Morning

Rural schools in this section of the state likely will fare better in the future than schools in the cities according to J. C. Godbey, state high school inspector, who spoke this morning before the high school division of the Nodaway County teachers plan meeting at the Maryville High School. The conference, which started yesterday morning closed shortly before noon today.

"Rural schools in Northwest Missouri have brighter prospects for the future financially than town and city schools," Mr. Godbey stated. "The city schools have pushed their taxation to the limit while the rural school districts have not reached their taxation limit. In north Kansas City the taxation amounts to $90 per pupil in the schools there ,while in Plattsburg the figures show a taxation of $45 per pupil."

High school inspector, Godbey told those persons addressed that superintendents should use great care in selecting their faculties. "The teachers should fit into the ideals of the community and should be the type of instructors who cooperate with the other faculty members, the superintendent and with the patrons of the school district. The qualifications of all teachers should be examined very closely," Mr. Godbey said.

Mrs. Adcock Speaks.

Mrs. Sylvia Adcock, of the Morning View school, located near Ravenwood, opened the speaking program in the rural school section this morning with a talk on the subject, "Beautifying the School Grounds."

"The condition of the school house and the grounds surrounding it show at once the general condition of the entire community," Mrs. Adcock said. "I believe that it would be better to make the subject, 'Making the School Grounds Attractive,'' for a desirable school ground is not a thing only to be looked upon.

"An attractive school ground should have a good drainage system, shade trees, shrubs and hardy flowers and all the playground equipment the school can afford. Cleanliness is one of the most important things in the appearance of the grounds and should be considered by the teacher whose duty it should be to see that the grounds are kept in good shape.

"Interest in an attractive school ground can be aroused by starting a poster campaign and having the children construct some of the posters in the home where the parents will learn of the idea. However, it is more successful if the teacher will also go into the homes or call a community meeting and explain the plans for making the school site more attractive. Usually a child will have one or more pieces of playground equipment about his home but while it is well that some of the play apparatus should be there the real place for that sort of thing is on the school ground where the child spends most of his leisure time.

Playground Cost Small.

"Care should be used in placing the shrubs, trees and plants about the school house because the play space should not be crowded. On the Morning View school grounds we have a basket ball court, a base ball diamond, two teeter boards, and two swings. This apparatus cost us only $10, the bulk of the lumber and the labor being donated. This year we expect to add a giant's stride and a horiozntal bar to the equipment.

Mrs. Adcock told the teachers of various plants and shrubs suitable for beautifying the school grounds and suggested that wild plants be used whenever possible and in that manner the cost of making the site more attractive would be greatly lessened.

Dr. C. P. Fryer, county health officer, spoke before the rural school and grade school sections on the subject of "Control of Contagious Diseases Through Co-operation of the Teacher."

Can Give Health Aid.

"The teacher can assist in a most valuable manner to put the spread of contagious diseases in check by reporting any cases of such diseases in her district to the county health department in Maryville at once. In many

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$550 Added Here to Income Tax Total

State Auditors Leave Twenty Cases for Later Decision.—Most of Collections Due to Errors.

Additional state income taxes of $550 were collected in four days work here from forty-one individuals and corporations by Harry E. Ruether and Louis Ratliff of the income tax department of the state auditor's office at Jefferson City. The auditors left twenty cases, most of these persons being out of the city. They will probably return here at a later date to settle these cases if they cannot be handled by correspondence.

Most of the additional collections resulted from improper deductions and errors on the part of the taxpayers in their returns. Delinquent state income taxes and collections from those who failed to make out returns brought in some money, however.

Mr. Ratliff went to Chillicothe Wednesday and Mr. Ruether joined him there today.

BOTH PARTIES CALL PARLEYS

DEMOCRATIC AND REPUBLICAN COMMITTEES TO MEET

DISTRICT MEET NEXT

Chairman and Vice-Chairman of Each County Organization to Go to St. Joseph

The Democratic county committee will meet Saturday, September 4, at the office of McCaffrey & Cook. Charles F. McCaffrey, chairman, announced today. A meeting was to have been held next Tuesday, August 31, but as the congressional committee will meet in St. Joseph that day, the meeting was postponed until Saturday.

The committee meeting will be held at 1:30 o'clock and probably at this time action will be taken to select a candidate for judge of the county court from the south district, this being the only vacancy on the Democratic ticket.

Mr. McCaffrey and Mrs. C. P. Fryer, vice-chairman, are members of the congressional committee and will probably attend that meeting in St. Joseph Tuesday when four members of the state committee, two men and two women, will be chosen.

The Republican county committee will meet at the Real Estate Bank at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, and a sub-committee will make recommendations for the filling of the party ticket to be voted on at the November election. E. C. Curfman, chairman, today notified the committeemen to be present at this conference.

Mr. Curfman and Mrs. F. S. King, vice-chairman, are members of the Republican congressional committee and will go to St. Joseph Tuesday to attend a meeting of that body. They also will help select members of the Republican state committee at that time.

Mrs. Mary Lahr Dies at Oakland, Cal.

Body Will Be Brought Here Monday For Burial—Was Mother Of Mrs. Burt M. Rowley Of This City.

Mrs. Mary Lahr, 73 years old, mother of Mrs. Burt Rowley of Maryville, died yesterday at the home of another daughter, Mrs. R. C. Green, at Oakland, Cal., with whom she made her home. Mrs. Lahr sustained a stroke of paralysis a few days ago. The body will be brought to Maryville for burial, arriving here next Monday morning. Mrs. John Linneman of Watsonville, Cal., another daughter, and Mr. Linneman, will accompany the body here.

Funeral services will probably be held Tuesday morning at St. Mary's Church, of which Mrs. Lahr had long been a member. Burial will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Mrs. Lahr was born Jan. 19, 1853, in Luxembourg, Germany. She came to this country when sixteen years old. Prior to going to California to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Lahr had been a resident of Maryville for forty-five years. She was the widow of Nicholas Lahr, who died thirty-four years ago. Other children surviving are: Mrs. L. E. Rhoades, Muscatine, Ia.; John Lahr, Plattsmouth, Neb.; and Martin Lahr, Sioux City, Ia.

MORE DETAILS OF CLUBBING

GILLUM INQUEST MAKES DEFENSE PLEA STRONGER.

NO CHARGE FILED YET

"I Knew You Would Have To Kill Him," Wife Of Springfield Contractor Is Quoted As Saying.

Springfield, Mo., Aug. 27.—Charged with second degree murder in connection with the slaying of his brother-in-law Tuesday night, W. R. Leffler is still in custody, awaiting a hearing in justice court here Monday.

The murder charge was filed against Leffler late yesterday.

The following details from yesterabout the killing of the Rev. Edward Gillum, a former pastor of the Christian Church of Sheridan:

Charges against Walter R. Leffler, 31 years old, who is being held at the local police headquarters for further investigation in connection with the killing of his brother-in-law, Rev. Edward Gillum, 40 years old, Tuesday night, have not been filed. Gillum died at 11 o'clock Tuesday night in a local hospital having sustained a fractured skull in an altercation with Leffler about 5:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Leffler home, 1924 Pierce avenue.

Harold T. Lincoln, prosecuting attorney, stated today that there would be no charges filed in the case until he had made further investigations. At a coroner's inquest held last night by Jewell E. Windel at the Alma Lohmeyer Funeral home at 7:30 o'clock, the details brought out during the hearing tended to strengthen the statements made by Leffler to the effect that he had killed Gillum in protecting his home and himself.

Statements which Leffler had made as to why he had killed Gillum and details in regard to the killing were read by Coroner Windle to the coroner's jury last night.

Officer Hulse, of the local police department, who was one of the first officers to arrive at the Leffler home after the killing, was the first witness questioned. Hulse stated that he found the body of the evangelist lying on the porch in an unconscious condition. When asked if the statements made by Leffler were true, Hulse stated that in so far as he knew they were. Officer Carter, who was with Hulse at the home after the killing, stated that a revolver had been found in Gillum's car and that a .22 caliber rifle had been found in the room where the fight had taken place. He stated that officer Hulse returned in the ambulance with Gillum, and that he, Carter, took Leffler and his wife to the police station. Carter testified that when Mrs. Leffler entered the police car she threw her arms around her husband's neck and cried: "Honey, I am sorry you had to do this, but I knew 12 months ago that you would have to kill Gillum."

O. A. Linzy, proprietor of a grocery store near the Leffler home, testified to the effect that Leffler rushed into the store Tuesday afternoon about 5:30 o'clock and telephoned the police, explaining that he had been in a fight with a man and that he had probably killed him. He also asked the police to come to the house and bring an ambulance, Linzy said.

The jury was out only a few minutes and returned the following verdict:

"We, the jury, find from the evidence that Edward Gillum came to his death from a compound fracture of the skull by being struck on the head by an Indian club in the hands of W. R Leffler, at 1924 Pierce avenue, Springfield, Mo., at about 5:30 o'clock." Signed, J. B. Gooch, foreman; C. W. Page, W. W. Murphy, S. T. Rose, Lester Nimmo and W. W. McMaster.

Neither Leffler nor his wife testified at the inquest last night. Leffler is being represented by Judge Alfred Page and Val Mason. Judge Page was present at the hearing in behalf of his client.

Prosecuting Attorney Harold T. Lincoln stated today that a thorough investigation would be made of the case before charges were filed.

Leffler talked freely this morning when interviewed by a Leader reporter, stating he deeply regretted that Gillum died.

"I didn't want to kill him, just

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464 Acre Barber Farm Sells Today

Tract Known As Walker Farm Near Burlington Junction Purchased By John E. Rhodes.

The 464 acre farm of R. N. Barber, cashier of the Northwestern Bank of Burlington Junction which failed, was sold at trustee's sale this afternoon by A. F. Harvey to John E. Rhodes of Burlington Junction. This farm is known as the Walker farm.

The price the farm sold for was not announced as there were several prior encumbrances and interest to figure up.

Default had been made in the payment of one of the installments of the loan and foreclosure was ordered.

This farm has recently been occupied by Thomas Farrell.

RISK FIGHT IS RESUMED

INSURANCE COMPANIES AGAIN IN COURT.

ASKS SUPREME RULE

Review of State Supreme Court's Decision Mailed to Country's Highest Judicial Authority.

Kansas City, Aug. 27.—The state fire insurances rate reduction fight was renewed here today by the insurance companies involved in the case, which they hope to carry to the United States Supreme Court.

A writ of certiorari to review the final judgment returned June 23, 1926, by the state supreme court, which upheld the 10 per cent reduction ordered by Ben C. Hyde, state superintendent of insurance, was mailed by the insurance company attorneys to the Supreme Court.

Federal questions, alleged to be in conflict with the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution, are listed by the risk concerns in seeking to appeal their case to the Supreme Court.

Doyle Thomas Dies at Hospital Here

Several Days' Illness of Infection Was Fatal—Funeral at Harmony Tomorrow.

Doyle Thomas, 20 years old, died at St. Francis Hospital about midnight last night following a several days' illness. Death was caused by septic endocarditis. The young man returned to his home in the Harmony nighborhood the latter part of last week after a minor operation at the hospital and reentered the hospital yesterday morning when his condition took a turn for the worse.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at Harmony church, the Rev. C. R. Green, a former pastor, officiating. Burial will be in the Orrsburg cemetery. The pallbearers will include the following friends of the young man: Ross Edwards, Fay Woodson Null, Art Craven, Cecil Lawson, Wilbur Cox and John Anderson. The body was removed to the home of Mr. Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Murray, this afternoon.

The young man was born May 20, 1906, near Harmony and had lived in that vicinity all his life. Besides his parents, he is survived by two brothers, Eldon Lavon and Willard Stephen Murray, at home, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Thomas of Hopkins. For the last two years he had attended the State Teachers College, and had been elected as teacher of the Pioneer school, Harmony consolidated district, for the ensuing year.

California Editor a Visitor at Elmo

Mr. and Mrs. Sam J. Lewis of San Andreas, Cal., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Colvin and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hopper at Elmo this week. Mrs. Colvin and Mrs. Hopper are sisters of Mrs. Lewis.

Mr. Lewis is editor and publisher of the Calaveras Weekly Citizen at San Andreas and has been at its helf for twenty-seven years. He has been in the newspaper business in California for forty-nine years. Now he and Mrs. Lewis are on a tour which will take them to Mr. Lewis' old home at St. Louis and then on to southern Georgia.

Miss Lois Cummings returned yesterday from a vacation visit in Kansas City and Rock Port. She was accompanied home by her niece, Ida Beth Newlon of Rock Port, for a visit.

HUGE OVATION FOR "TRUDIE"

MANHATTAN GOES WILD OVER CHANNEL SWIMMER.

THE ROADSTER HER'S

"Pop" Ederle Meets His Girl At Battery With Promised Gift.—The Welcome Unique.

New York, Aug. 27.—Gertrude Ederle, who swam the English channel and lived to laugh at its terrors, and New York, which gave her birth, opened their arms to each other today.

Her eyes shining, her bosom heaving and her arms literally wide as she viewed the city of her birth, "Trudie" came home on the liner Berengaria shortly after 12:30 o'clock this afternoon. She stepped ashore at the Battery amid a demonstration such as would be incredible to those not there to witness it.

"Trudie" came home to Manhattan today and Manhattan went wild. Even the enthusiasm of Dover, Boulogne and Stuttgart had not prepared Miss Ederle for the reception of her home town.

The girl who swam the famous channel was a nervous, though very happy heroine. It was afternoon when Gertrude came ashore on the Battery from the cutter Macon, which took her off the liner at Quarantine. Fifty thousand persons were massed at Battery Park to shout their welcome to her. A United States cruiser, tugs, private yachts and the deep bass of fog horns joined in the welcome.

It was the moment of his life for "Pop" Ederle. He stood a little apart from the crowd around his girl and beamed.

"It's all for my Trudy," he said, to nobody in particular. "Well, she deserves it."

As for the girl herself, she answered question on question, shook hands all around with a real mannish grip and was the most excited girl in New York.

Police reserves were powerless to control the crowd, which flowed over Broadway, completely filling the twelve-foot canyon.

As she glimpsew the great mass of admirers, Gertrude was crying for joy. "Is this for me? I can't believe it," she exclaimed.

On the way into the Battery, "Trudie" received the greatest harbor reception ever given here. Royalty and diplomates, great church dignitaries have come to New York along the same route, but none was welcomed so spontaneously as was she.

Admitting that there would be financial rewards for her feat, she insisted that she still was a free agent.

Gertrude said her ambition had been realized when she emerged from the channel on the English shore and that she had no new goal.

"I don't know of anything left to do, do you?" she remarked to newspaper men. She said she had no intention of returning but would keep on swimming.

The reception she received on the way up the bay had made her so nervous that she could hardly keep seated while reporters questioned her, but her emotion was nothing to that when she ran into a new, flaming red roadster.

"That's the roadster you've been talking so much about," said "Pop" Ederle. The girl was almost overwhelmed.

Texas Voters to Go to Polls Tomorrow

Fort Worth, Tex., Aug. 27.—Texas will go to the polls tomorrow to vote on a man or woman for governor. The run-off primary, made necessary by the failure of Attorney-General Dan Moody to get a clear majority of the votes in a preliminary election, will decide the fate of "Ma" Ferguson, the nation's first woman executive of a state.

Greek Government to Take Up Debt

Funding of Money Owed to United States Will Be One of First Questions New Ministry Says.

Athens, Greece, Aug. 27.—One of the first measures to be taken up by the financial ministry in the new Greek government, after the general elections, will be funding of the Greek debt to the United States, the International News Service was informed today.

Soviet Russia Wins Diplomatic Success

Latavia and Esthonia Want to Make Treaties With Larger Country May Be Free From Poland.

Moscow, Aug. 27. — Soviet Russia won an unexpected diplomatic success today.

Latvia and Esthonia notified the Soviet that they were willing to negotiate separate mutual neutrality treaties with Russia. Heretofore these Balkan nations have insisted they could negotiate such pacts with Russia only in conjunction with Poland.

The Soviet regards the decision as a sign that the two smaller countries are freeing themselves from Polish influence.

U. S. LEADS IN ROAD VALUES

COUNTRY'S ROADS EXTEND OVER 500,000 MILES.

A SWEEPING NETWORK

Highways Worth More Than a Billion, Dollars Have Been Built by American People.

Washington, Aug. 27.—As the only billion dollar highway nation in the world, the United States now leads the rest of the world with 500,000 miles of good roads, it was announced today at the Department of Commerce.

With congressional appropriations of $75,000,000 and state and local funds of more than $100,000,000, the American people already have poured out over a billion dollars on good roads. Of this amount the federal government has furnished $371,701,000.

The vast, sweeping network of paved highways, interlacing virtually every state in the Union, according to Department of Commerce officials, has opened new fields of transportation for American industry, sharply reduced the cost of marketing agricultural products over short distances and permitted millions of Americans to see America first .

At this time the American people have more than 20 million motor vehicles licensed throughout the states. Of this number almost 18,000,000 are pleasure cars and 2,441,000 are commercial trucks, rendering constant service to trade and industry.

These millions of motor cars have brought nearly $715,000,000 in revenue to the federal and local governments, due chiefly to good roads.

Four Mentioned as Legion Commander

Spirited Contest is Promised for State Convention at Moberly, Beginning Monday

Moberly, Mo., Aug. 27—A four-cornered race for state commander of the American Legion looms at the state convention of the former service men, which convenes here next week.

Redick O'Bryan of Moberly, Dan Nee of Excelsior Springs, Harry W. Castlene of St. Louis County, and Dr. Neil Williams of Excelsior Springs are the candidates whose names will be presented.

The four hundred delegates who will assemble here Monday also will choose men to fill a score of other state officers, and delegates to the national convention will be selected and instructed. Questions of legislation and compensation will come before the convention.

Music for street dancing Monday night will be furnished by an orchestra.

One thousand service men are expected to attend the convention. The auxiliary and the Society of the Forty and Eight will hold state meetings at the same time.

Baseball Scores

3:30 Radio Report.

National League.

Brooklyn, 0; Cincinnati, 1; 6th.
Boston, 0; Chicago, 5; 7th.
New York, 0; Pittsburgh, 4; 8th.
Philadelphia-St. Louis, no scores.

American League.

Chicago, 2; Washington, 0; 2nd.
St. Louis, 6; Philadelphia, 1; 7th.
Detroit, 1; New York, 4; 7th.
Cleveland, 9; Boston, 3; final.
Cleveland, 2; Boston, 4; 8th.

American Association.

Milwaukee-Minneapolis, no scores.
Kansas City, 1; St. Paul, 0; 3rd.

STRIKE BACK AT BOYCOTT

CATHOLIC MOVE BRINGS COUNTER OFFENSIVE IN MEXICO.

HOPE OF PEACE FADES

New Action by Labor Federation May Mean Months, Even Years of Religious Controversy.

Mexico City, Aug. 27.—A counter-offensive, effective immediately, against the Catholic boycott, instituted in protest against the government's religious regulations, was announced today by the federation of syndicates.

Groups of labor unionists belonging to the federation were keeping watch for persons distributing handbills in furtherance of the boycott and it was announced that such persons may expect drastic treatment.

A search also has been established to find the printing establishments now engaged in turning out the boycott handbills by the hundreds of thousands.

The federation now is preparing a list of persons known or suspected as having taken in the boycott. Those who themselves are engaged in business will be subjected to reprisals by the federation members.

Alfreda Medina, general secretary of the federation, explained that the application of this move had been delayed due to the hope entertained by the government that the Catholic episcopate would swing into line with the government's regulations. These hopes, however, have been dissipated by the episcopate's defiant refusal to observe the regulations.

In contrast to the rosy optimism pervading the situation a few days ago, predictions were made today that there would be months and even years of struggles before the religious controversy is brought to an end.

Valentino's Casket to Remain Sealed

Dead Star's Body Not to Be Disclosed To View of Anyone Else Except Brother, Coming Tuesday.

New York, Aug. 27.—Rudolph Valentino's casket, lying in the gold room of Campbell's Funeral Church, was sealed today, and it will not be opened to anyone except the dead screen star's brother, Alberto Guglielmo, who is due to arrive on the liner Homeric Tuesday.

The brother has expressed a desire that S. George Ullman, Valentino's manager, postpone the funeral until Guglielmo arrives in New York. The funeral is scheduled now to be held Monday at Saint Malachi's Catholic Church.

Ullman so far has not been able to arrange a postponement, but he has taken the matter up with the health department.

The burial, it is believed now, will be held in Hollywood, and Valentino's friends hope it will be held there rather than in Italy. The brother is expected to understand and sympathize with the desire for burial in the movie capital of the world, as he spent seven months there with Valentino, but he has withheld an expression until after he has communicated with a sister in Turin.

Bandits Sets Fire as Ruse, Then Robs Bank

While Cashier Fights Blaze, Robber At Nashua, Mo., Takes $400 From Woman Assistant.

Nashua, Mo., Aug. 27.—Setting fire to a small building near the schoolhouse as a ruse, a bandit here this afternoon robbed the State Bank of $400 cash, while the cashier was aiding in extinguishing the blaze.

The bandit departed toward St. Joseph in a battered car, after he had forced the assistant cashier, Mrs. Marguerite Peterson, alone in the bank, to kneel at the point of his gun and scooped up the money in the tills.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Crow and son, Warren, returned last night from a two weeks' trip to the Minnesota lakes and attending the national convention of photographers held in Chicago this week.

Weather

Partly cloudy today and Saturday; continued warm.

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1927 Meet of Modern Woodmen to Barnard

Fifteen Counties to Participate in Annual Log Rolling—Maryville Man District President.

The annual log rolling of the Northwest Missouri district of the Modern Woodmen of America will be held in Barnard in 1927, it was decided at the convention at Stanberry last week. The Northwest district is composed of Nodaway, Atchison, Holt, Andrew, Worth, Gentry, Harrison, Daviess, Buchanan, DeKalb, Clinton, Platte, Clay, Ray and Caldwell counties.

Charles Hayes of Maryville is president of the district association with George Daniels of Barnard, vice-president, and E. R. Nelson, Barnard, as secretary-treasurer.

Missourians Injured When Train Derailed

One Probably Will Die From Hurts—Is Thought to Have Been "Bumming" Ride

Sioux City, Ia., Aug. 27—E. E. Almond and John Allen, both of Kansas City, Mo., are in a serious condition at a hospital here as the result of injuries suffered last night when five cars of a Milwaukee railroad freight train were derailed at Owega, Ia., near Sioux City.

Almond, who left arm was torn off at the shoulder and whose skull is believed fractured, probably will die. It is the theory that the men were "bumming" a ride on a tank car and were crushed when it overturned.

Last of Quantrill Raiders at Reunion

Kansas City, Aug. 27—George M. Nowland, recently of Seattle, Wash., seated under the flowing banner of the Stars and Bars of the Confederacy, today was the sole survivor present at the twentieth annual reunion here of the famous Quantrill guerrilla band that sacked Lawrence, Kan., sixty-three years ago.

Although he was seated with other members of the Confederate army, Nowland was the only man to represent the 500 who were members of Charles Quantrill's band.

Fined for Speeding.

Harley Behout of Hopkins was arrested at 9 o'clock last evening by Barney Dougan and Leo Atherton, city officers, for speeding on West Third street. He entered a plea of guilty before Mayor W. O. Garrett and was fined $5. The fine and costs amounted to $10.65.

You are never too old to learn you are never too old to learn.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN

"I had a whole dime to spend for Mamma's birthday an' she let me eat half of the peanuts."

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DAMON AND PYTHIAS.

Former Barnard Pair Observe Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Badger, Back On Visit From California, Were Married 50 Years Ago Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Badger, former residents of Barnard, now of Los Angeles, Cal., who are visiting friends in Barnard, celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Tuesday as dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Turner.

The Barnard Bulletin this week had, in part, the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Badger were married August 24, 1876 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Baker, northeast of Barnard. Mrs. Badger's maiden name was Melissa Holenbeck, and was making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Baker. Following their marriage, they lived on a farm north of town, where Lee Rasco now lives, until 1910. They spent about one year in Conception Junction, where their daughter, Leona, was employed as teacher, and the rest of the time they lived in Barnard, until 1923, when they moved to Los Angeles, California.

Mr. Badger is in his seventy-seventh year and Mrs. Badger in her seventy-second year. Both are enjoying good health and are happy. Before leaving California, Mr. Badger was employed as automobile registrar in Los Angeles, where their children are all living.

They have four children. They are Mrs. Charles Henderson, Chester Badger, Miss Leona Badger, Charles L. Badger, all of Los Angeles.

On St. Joseph Market.

J. E. McGinnis of Nodaway County sold at the St. Joseph market Thursday two loads of 768-pound mixed yearlings at $9.50. Atwill Tyson of the same county sold a load of 958-pound steers at $9.50.

Remaining Tourists Home Next Tuesday

Miss Betty Turner and Mrs. Marie McGurk Among London Party Who Remained for Longer Stay.

Members of the Shenandoah Kiwanis club's London party who remained over for a longer period are expected home Tuesday. They are due to arrive in Montreal Sunday morning and are expected to arrive in Maryville early Tuesday morning, if they are on schedule time.

Miss Betty Turner of Maryville and Mrs. Marie McGurk of Hopkins are the only Nodaway Countians who remained for the extended stay.

The Canadian Pacific and the Wabash railroads will join in a special train for the visitors, of whom there are 220.

Miss Helen Frankie Lahr of St. Joseph is visiting at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. H. G. Lahr, 301 East Thompson street. She was called here by the serious condition of Mrs. Lahr, who has been ill for eight days. Miss Lahr came here from Corning, Mo., where she visited her mother, Mrs. G. W. Franklin.

Miss Minnie Stilwell has returned to her home in Waukon, Ia., after a three weeks' visit with her brother, C E. Stilwell, and family.

It may be entertaining when your kid points a toy pistol and tells you to "stick 'em up." But that's the way some bandits begin.

This pennant race in the national league is getting to be the most exciting thing in baseball history and it has about three weeks to go yet.

It seems that Mr. White, member of the Pennsylvania athletic commission, is black, which he has a perfect right to be even if he is White.

Stewart's Washington Letter

By CHARLES P. STEWART
NEA Service Writer.

Washington—Airplanes will be at least as common as motor busses within a couple of years at the outside, they think at the commerce department.

Secretary Hoover has a habit of thinking out his plans to the last detail before he says anything about them for public consumption. When he does finally announce a plan, it's fully completed and he's ready to put it through in short order.

It was thus with his plan for commercial aviation development. One day hardly anybody knew there was such a plan. The next day, there it was, full fledged, with experts already started on the job of making it a reality.

Establishing an air line is no such lengthy undertaking as building a railroad.

The commerce department must provide considerable ground equipment. Regulations will have to be evolved. But all this can be done rapidly, in comparison with the slow work of surveying a surface road, tearing down hills, building up hollows, constructing culverts, bridging rivers, laying rails and getting rolling stock in motion over them.

Of course, in a sense the government's aviation program will be worked out gradually, but where "gradually" means a matter of years from a railroad standpoint, it means only months from aviation's.

The necessary facilities being in readiness, the commerce department simply will say to private aviation interests:

"There are your landing fields, with all the conveniences and appurtenances that go with them. There are your beacons and sign posts. Here's your radio to communicate with planes in transit. There's the air. The entire plant's yours free—subject to this very reasonable set of rules and regulations. Go to it."

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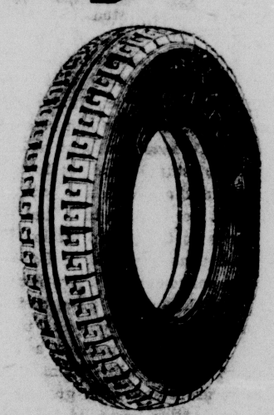

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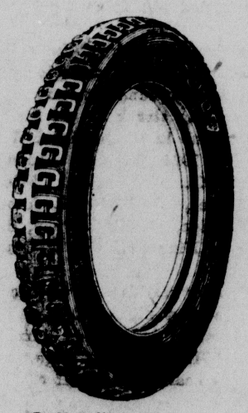

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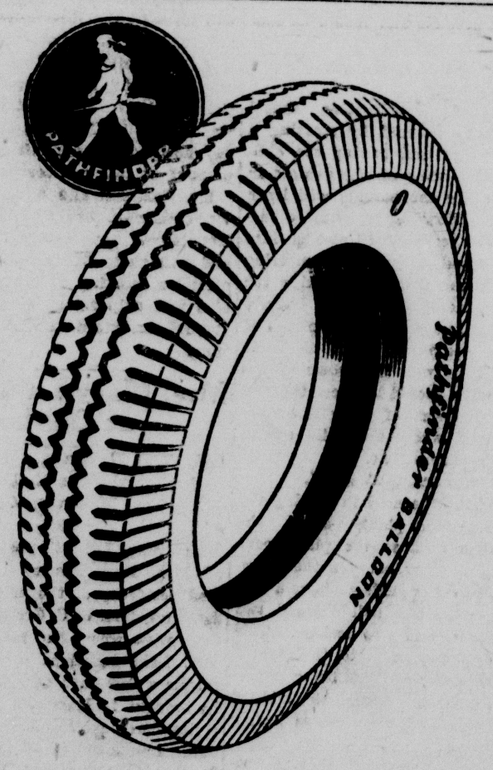

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Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Hagan and daughter, Miss Vada Cliser, 512 Prather avenue, entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner Wednesday evening, complimentary to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Moore, who were married Monday, Aug 23, at Hotel Sidney, Creston, Ia., Garden flowers in pink and white were used in decoration throughout the rooms and for the table. The bride's cake, which formed the centerpiece for the table, was surrounded with four pink tapers in silver holders. The guests were limited to members of the immediate family.

Highland Club.

Mrs. W. H. Burr was hostess to members of the Highland Club Wednesday afternoon at her home, northeast of Maryville. The afternoon was spent socially and Evelyn and Marion Burr gave several vocal and instrumental selections. Assisted by her daughters, the hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Walter Dickie, Sept. 8. Those present were Mrs. A. R. Robinson, Mrs. J. C. Chesnut, Mrs. Pat Farrens, Mrs. Foster Wallace, Mrs. Roy Kelley and children, Xetah, Tommy and Alma Ruth, Mrs. Frank Hall and children, Edna Marie, Betty Lee and Roland Dean, Mrs. Dee Callahan and children, Mabel, Lola, Franklin, and Beulah, Mrs. John Looker and children, Esther, Opal, Glenn and Dean, Mrs. O. K. Busby, and her niece, Maxine Barton, Mrs. Alva Chappell and children, Maxine, Mary and Harold, Mrs. E. B. Brown and daughter, Frances Rosalie, Mrs. Emmett Goff of Padroni, Colo., who is visiting relatives in Nodaway County, Elmer Akres, Harry Burr, Lester Looker and the hostess and family.

Elect New Officers.

Mrs. Burleigh Swalley was elected president of the Bloomfield Needlework Club for the ensuing six months yesterday afternoon at a business meeting at the home of Mrs. J. R. McClurg. Other new officers are: Vice-president, Mrs. Martin Carmichael; secretary and treasurer, Miss Maudie Hollensbe; corresponding secretary, Miss Mayme McClurg; alternate, Mrs. John Bosch; and pianist, Mrs. Martin Carmichael. The retiring officers were: President, Mrs. Marvin Carmichael; vice-president, Miss Maudie Hollensbe; secretary and treasurer, Miss Bernice Hollensbe; corresponding secretary, Miss Ethelyn Hanna; alternate, Mrs. Martin Carmichael; and pianist, Mrs. Edward Hanna. Roll call was responded to with Bible verses. At the close of the business session refreshments were served by Mrs. McClurg and Miss Neva McClurg, who was assisting hostess. Members of side No. 2 were losers in the six months' contest and will entertain the winners in the near future. The visitors and members present were: Mrs. Silas Yeager of Rochester, Minn., Mrs. Lester Hollensbe and daughter, Mrs. Martin Carmichael, Mrs. John Bosch and son, Mrs. William Burks, Mrs. Charles Hollensbe, Mrs. Vilas McClurg and son, Mrs. Tom Carmichael, Mrs. Burleigh Swalley and children, Mrs. Joseph Lamport, Mrs. Harry Penland, Mrs. George Hantze, Mrs. Edward Hanna and children, Mrs. Allan Burks and children, Mrs. T. L. McClurg, Mrs. Ira Thompson and children, Mrs. N. T. Hornbuckle, Mrs. Lee Birkenholz, Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Mrs. Marvin Carmichael and children, Mrs. Earl McClurg and children, Mrs. Charles Carmichael and children, Misses Della McNeal, Mayme McClurg, Maudie Hollensbe, Verna Treese, Bernice Hollensbe, Ethelyn Hanna, Anna Belle Hollensbe, Edith Hanna, and the hostesses. The next meeting will be held Sept. 9 with Mrs. Earl McClurg. Memory gems will form the roll call responses.

King-Steffes.

The Immaculate Conception Church at Conception was the scene of a very pretty wedding yesterday morning at eight o'clock, when Miss Rose C. King became the bride of Fred W. Steffes, the Rev. Father Placidus officiating.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Lewis King near Stanberry and is a nurse, having received her training in Kansas City. For the past two years, she has been practicing her profession in and near Stanberry.

The groom is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Steffes of Mt. St. Marys, Mo., and is an intelligent young farmer.

The bride wore a frock of white canton crepe, trimmed with silver lace and pearls. The veil was held in place with a dainty bridal wreath and she carried a shower bouquet of pink rosebuds and gypsifelia. Miss Vivian King, sister was the bridesmaid and wore a dress of light blue.

George King, brother of the bride, acted as best man.

After the ceremony, a delicious wedding dinner was served at Mrs. King's home to about sixty relatives and friends of the contracting parties. In the evening, a wedding dance was given in the Clyde hall. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

After an extended trip, the happy couple will return to Mt. St. Marys, where the groom has a farm.—Stanberry Headlight.

Shower for Newlyweds

A kitchen shower was given last night by Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gray at their home, east of Clearmont, honoring their son and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray, who were married four weeks ago. Mrs. Gray was formerly Miss Loreta Downing. In the company were Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Downing, Laneata, Beatrice and Lochyal Downing, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Glenn, Mrs. William Kellogg, Everett Kellogg, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Cox, Audrey and Eleanor Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Pence, Bernice Pence, Mrs. Tom Patterson, Ivan Patterson, Irene Sowers, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Gray, Delaine Gray, Mrs. Lizzie Shanklin, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Gray, Catherine Lee and Virginia Gray, Mrs. Sara Edwards, Dale and Marvin Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Cable, Jane Cable, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Bancroft, Hollis Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs. Ola Horn, Beulah and Edward Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Simpson, Merle Lloyd, Mildred and Orville Simpson, Mrs. Lena Humphrey, Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Gregory, Oliver Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wallace, Gerald and Welton Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Kinder, William, Alice Isabelle, B. H., and Ava Lee Kinder, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Farrens, Ralph Eugene Farrens, Mrs. Walter Pollock, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Britton, Copel Britton, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Staten, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Reynolds, Adrain, Laverne and Lowell Dean Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace, Russell and Carol Wallace, Earl Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gray, Iola, Deloris and Theda Gray, Miss Dora Ashford, Howard and Charles Garten and Mr. and Mrs. John Gray.

Missionary Meeting

Mrs. O. M. Watkins was hostess at the August meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church yesterday afternoon at her home on West Third street. Mrs. Martin Lewis, jr., and Mrs. Forrest Gillam were assisting hostesses. Miss Jessie Parcher led the devotionals in the absence of the chaplain. Mrs. G. H. Colbert. Mrs. Lewis presented the foreign topic, "Youth of China for Christ," and Mrs. J. A. Ford was in charge of the home subject, "The Younger Generation on the Mission Field." The program closed with a group of piano numbers by Miss Halcyon Hooker, who played "Rhapsodie in G Minor" by Brahms and "In a Boat" (Veckwer). During the social hour refreshments were served. Guests at the meeting were Mrs. S. E. Farmer of Minneapolis, a former member of the society, Mrs. J. R. Watkins of St. Joseph, and Miss Hooker.

Eastern Star Meeting

The regular meeting of Rosanna Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the Masonic Temple.

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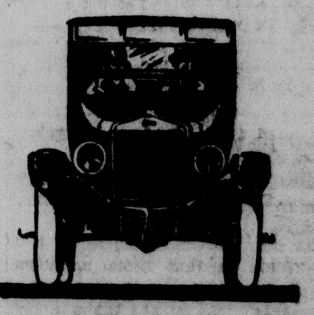

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 28—

Norman Kerry and Patsy Ruth Miller in "LORRAINE OF THE LIONS."

See the spectacular wreck of the animal freighter off the cannibal Isle. See the startling adventures of the Nature girl and her gorilla protector. See what happened in the jungle pool. Also a two reel western, Fred Humes in **"UNDER DESERT SKIES."**

MONDAY and TUESDAY, Aug. 30 and 31—HOOT GIBSON in **"ARIZONA SWEEPSTAKES."**

Strange Sign Placed On New State Highway Near Montgomery City

Montgomery City, Mo., Aug. 27.—Among the picturesque scenes and signs along the new state highway "Airline" between St. Louis and Kansas City, is the following unexplainable one located a few hundred yards from Danville, the old county seat of Montgomery county, which passed into history about a year ago. This declaration is on a large signboard about 12 feet long and 3 feet feet wide and is a mystery to the thousands of travelers passing on this fine highway each day:

"This road and place show the power of British Black Art. Satanic Science, to use good Americans and officers to heedlessly destroy growing crops and farm land, and against home, church and school.

"American liberty is God-given—You can't keep yours and destroy others."

The only possible solution of this declaration is that some unknown person or persons are incensed because this highway has taken a cut off of some of the finest farms through Montgomery county and the further fact that the people of Montgomery county, a year or so ago, voted almost unanimously to remove the county seat from Danville to this city, Montgomery. This practically ended the famous county seat contest reaching back to the Civil War, more than 60 years ago.

The fight waged furiously at intervals and sometimes Danville would win and then again Montgomery would be voted the victor, and the case would be taken to the circuit and supreme court and be reversed, until at times it was said that Montgomery county seat was on wheels, the records being hauled back and forth repeatedly.

The hardest blow Danville received was at the very beginning when Bill Anderson, a noted guerilla and bushwhacker, swooped down on Danville, killed several citizens in the streets and in their homes and shot up the town generally. This was about the time he also visited Centralia, Mo., with 280 men and on Sept. 27, 1864 lined up his men at the little depot there and took a regiment of soldiers from the north Wabash train and shot them down like wild turkeys; so that the instigator of this strange sign is no doubt incensed because of the tragedies and misfortune that have been visited along this state highway in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Nance of Burlington Junction are visiting Mrs. Mamie Clardy. Another visitor at the home of Mrs. Clardy is her neice, Miss Esther McElvain of Elmo, who is attending the teachers meeting here.

J. Arthur Wray Leaves.

J. Arthur Wray left this morning for Ada, Okla., to visit his son, Walter Wray, and family, en route to his home in Redlands, Cal. His daughter, Miss Nellie Wray, who has also been visiting here, will leave next Monday for Redlands.

Brighter For Rural School

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instances it is very difficult for the health officers to learn of contagious disease cases in outlying parts of the county until the diseased person has died or has come in contact with others causing the sickness to be spread. The teacher, who usually has a fair knowledge of any cases of sickness in her district, should report the case to the health department and an officer or nurse will be sent at once to investigate the situation. In the case of a poor family medical assistance will be provided and by means of quarantine a spread of the disease will be put in check."

Subjects of Talks.

"Discipline, the Old vs. the New" was the subject of a talk made before the high school section by Ed Adams, of Barnard. Other talks in that section were given by "The Course in American Problems," by L. L. Livengood; "Classroom Management," by Harry Nelson. Charles W. Wallace was chairman of the meeting.

The rural school section was presided over by L. L. King and the following talks were given, "Broad and Thorough Knowledge of Grade Subjects," by Miss Beula Russell and Miss Marie Kroonblawd; "Value of Supervised Study," by Miss H. Callie Burket; "Significance of Classification," by Miss Helen Joy Bolin; "Vital Phase of Health Education That Are Easily Adaptable to Each School," by Donald Russell.

Earl M. Brittain spoke on the subject, "How to Develop Community Ideals Through Co-operation of the Teachers," before the grade section which was presided over by Mrs. Roy Schrader. Other talks were, "Making the School Room Attractive," by Miss Mertie Hutcheson; "Value of Supervised Study," by Miss Gertrude Horton; "Methods of Teaching Spelling in the Grades," Miss Maude Linville; "Vital Phases of Health Education That Are Easily Adaptable to the Grade School" by Miss Arcille McClaren.

The teachers voted to send a floral offering to the parents of Doyle Thomas, who died last night. He was to have been teacher at the Pioneer School this year.

Changed to County Athletic Association

Meeting of Superintendents and Coaches Held This Afternoon—A Spring Track Meet.

The name of the Nodaway County Out Door Basketball League was changed this afternoon to the Nodaway County Athletic Association at a meeting of the superintendents and coaches of the high schools of the county held in the county court room. The same officers were reelected for the year and are: Leslie G. Somerville, president; L. L. Livengood, Elmo, vice-president; and Ed Adams, Barnard, secretary-treasurer.

The board of control is composed of L. L. Livengood, Elmo; Hubert Garrett, Quitman; and Harry B. Rutledge, Burlington Junction. The scheduling committee is composed of Charles Wallace, Graham; Harry Kissinger, Guilford; and Hubert Garrett, Quitman.

Basketball games will start probably Sept. 18 with a county tournament to be held in Maryville probably during the fore part of November. Then there will be spring basketball game and a spring track meet. The spring track meet will be a new feature for the association with a county tournament to be held in Maryville probably before the district contests at the College.

The schedule of the games will be announced within the next week.

All high schools of the county are included in the association with the exception of Maryville and Hopkins.

Services at Myrtle Tree and Pickering

Bible school at 10 o'clock, followed by a communion service, will be the only services Sunday at the Pickering Christian Church, on account of the absence of the pastor.

At the Pickering Methodist Church, Sunday school will be held at 10 a. m. and preaching by the pastor, the Rev. E. W. Croy, at 7:30 p. m.

The Reverend Mr. Croy will preach at Myrtle Tree church at 11 a. m., and Sunday school will be held there at 10 a. m.

Conference to Be Held at Ravenwood

The Rev. W. L. Scarborough will hold quarterly conference on the night of Tuesday, August 31, at the Methodist Church in Ravenwood. This will close the conference year and reports will be received. The annual conference will meet at Columbia on Sept. 8.

There will be no preaching services either morning or evening at the Ravenwood church Sunday. Sunday school will be held at 9:45 o'clock and Epworth League at 7 p. m.

Out in Society

Observe Two Anniversaries.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Snyder entertained with a family dinner today at their home on West First street in observance of their wedding anniversary and the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Snyder's mother, Mrs. C. L. Wright. Places were arranged for Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Seal, Mrs. C. L. Wright, and the hosts and daughter, Miss Lucile Snyder.

Home and Community Club.

The Home and Community Club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harry Zook. Reed work was the diversion for the afternoon. Those present were Mrs. John Carmichael, Mrs. John Sexson, Mrs. Will Ritter, Mrs. Virgil Zook and baby son, and Mrs. Ralph Riley. The place of the next meeting was not decided upon.

Picnic at Tourist Park.

A picnic was given at the Tourist Park last evening in honor of Alice Marie Ramey of Greeley, Colo., and Mabel Ruth Erickson. Miss Ramey, who has been the guest of her grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Ramey and Miss Ruth Ramey, will leave soon for her home, and Miss Erickson will go to St. Joseph Sunday to enter the Missouri Methodist Hospital for a course in nurse's training. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Erickson, Mrs. Mary Lambert, Mrs. Charles McNeal, Mrs. Ida Ambrose, Mrs. Ramey, Mrs. Dora Martin, Misses Lida Ambrose, Ruth Ramey, Alice Marie Ramey, May French, Hazel Carr, Ruby Norris, and Blanche and Mabel Ruth Erickson.

W. N. Club.

Mrs. Sam Culver and daughter, Cecil, entertained the W. N. Club Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. John Cooper as leader. The meeting opened with singing of "There's Much We Can do" and "Sunshine and Rain," followed by the Bible lesson and the Lord's prayer. Roll call was answered by sayings of "Willie Willis." After the closing songs, refreshments of sandwiches, pickles, fruit punch and wafers were served. These members and visitors were present: Mrs. Irvin Peery, Mrs. John Cooper, Mrs. Robert Dew, Mrs. John Meek, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. Emma Shields, Mrs. Susan Hayes, Mrs. Fred Griffey, Mrs. Amos Hayes, Mrs. Cleo Lane, Mrs. Joseph Lynch, Mrs. J. F. Lane, Mrs. Arizona Dove, Mrs. Fred Culver and daughter, Lola Katherine, Mrs. Loren Culver, Mrs. Lee Culver and daughter, Virginia, Mrs. Harvey Culver, Misses Laura Shields, Pauline and Doris Griffey, Maxine Miller, Mary Trosper, Mary Jane Dew, Dorothy Ellen Lane, Velma and Marjorie Culver, Junior and Wilson Miller, James Donald Meek, James Marion Dew, Floyd Culver and the hostesses. Mrs. Culver will be leader at the next meeting to be held Sept. 9 with Mrs. Robert Dew.

To Son's Wedding.

Mrs. S. E. Farmer of Minneapolis, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. H. Eckles and other friends since Monday, went to Kansas City this morning to attend the wedding tomorrow afternoon of her son, Joe Farmer, and Miss Alice Barnhart. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the bride's parents, 607 Freeman avenue, Kansas City, Kan. Mr. Farmer is a graduate of the School of Law of the University of Minnesota and is claim adjuster for a Kansas City bonding company. His bride is a graduate of Smith College.

Mrs. Farmer will spend the winter at Athens, Ohio, with her daughter, Miss Faye Farmer, who will be connected with the physical education department of the University of Ohio this year. Miss Farmer is an alumna of the University of Minnesota.

Ladies' Day Luncheon

Sixty women attended the luncheon at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the Country Club. The committee on arrangements consisted of Mrs. L. M. Eek, chairman, Mrs. W. N. Deatherage and Mrs. Jesse F. Robertson. Among the guests from out of town were Miss Ruth Groves of Wray, Colo., Miss Neah Paulsen of Story City, Ia., Mrs. Paul W. Miller of Sanford, Fla., Mrs. Charles Jones of Burlington Junction, Miss Nellie Wray of Redlands, Cal., Mrs. Martha Storm and Miss Mabel Storm of Okmulgee, Okla., Mrs. Lewis DeHart of Chicago, Mrs. J. L. Kraft of Cleveland, Ohio, Mrs. John I. Hoffman of Philadelphia and Mrs. D. J. Hunterson, Mrs. M. L. Bentley, Mrs. I. A. Goodson and Mrs. Walter Davis, all of Ravenwood. The hostesses for the next ladies' day luncheon on Sept. 9 will be Mrs. M. E. Ford, chairman, Mrs. Martin Lewis, jr., and Mrs. D. J. Thomas.

AUNT HET

"I reckon Pa has started forty times to read the Bible through, but he gets well again every time before he gets out of Genesis."

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More Details of Clubbing

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merely wanted to teach him a lesson. I received several threatening letters at different times from Gillum, one of them being received several months ago. I turned this letter over to Prosecuting Attorney Lincoln and was advised by him at that time to ignore it.

"Gillum was asked to resign from the First Presbyterian church at Baker City, Ore., while pastor of that church, and he had been hanging around my family and annoying us since.

"I don't care what's done in the case, only I want justice. When I came home Tuesday evening, Gillum was in the front room, and my wife was in the back yard gathering clothes. I spoke to Gillum in a friendly way and he replied, 'Now Leffler, mind your own business.' At this time he reached for his hip pocket and I thought he was after a gun. I picked up an Indian club which was lying on the floor near me and struck him in the head, twice before he fell and once after. I just went crazy mad I guess."

Leffler is a well known athlete in southwest Missouri, having appeared in boxing contests on a number of occasions.

Gillum had conducted several revivals in various churches, occasionally appearing in tent services.

Funeral services for Gillum will be held at 10 o'clock Friday morning at the Alma Lohmeyer Funeral home. Interment will be made in East Lawn cemetery. The deceased is survived by the wife, Mrs. Lettie Gillum, who arrived in Springfield this morning from Tulsa, Okla. He is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Downey of Dewey, Okla.; by four brothers, Henry, and Charles Gillum, of Inoea, Okla., Emit, of Van Buren, Ark.; Earl Gillum, of Tulsa; by the father, William Gillum, of Tulsa; and by two half brothers and three half sisters, of Oklahoma.

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. William Sharr, who live Near Pickering, Married Fifty-Four Years.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sharr, who live east of Pickering, celebrated the fifty-fourth anniversary of their wedding at home last Sunday. Mr. Sharr, who is seventy-four years old and his wife, seventy-five, were born in Green county, Indiana, but moved to Braddyville, Ia., forty-four years ago and shortly afterwards went from there to Quitman and later took up their residence near Pickering

The children of the couple are, Mrs. Emily Partridge, Bedison, Frank Sharr, Springfield, Mrs. Mary Hollensbe, Pickering and Lee Sharr and Austin Sharr, of Gaynor, Ivan Sharr, Mrs. Ethel Treece, and Mrs. Eva Latimer, of Pickering.

Those who attended the basket dinner given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Sharr included: Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sharr, of Hopkins, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sharr and son, Weldon, of Gaynor, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Treece, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Hollensbe, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hollensbe, and daughter, Florence, of Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. Will Partridge, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Antrim and son, Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gillilland, of Bedison, Misses Beryl and Lora and Madge Sharr, Reva, Elva, and Verna Treece, Alfretta Latimer, Corda, Verda, Lona, Bonnie, Mary and Esther Sharr, Nellie, Alma, Gladys, Marjorie and Irene Partridge, Ethelyn Hanna, Maud and Bernice and Anna Bell Hollensbe, Mable Louise Kidd, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Judd, Wilmer Sharr, Bernard Sharr, Eugene and Ervin Treece, Leland Morrow, Edison Hanna, and Louie Saffel, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Robison.

Wilcox Methodist Church.

There will be preaching both morning and evening Sunday at the Wilcox Methodist Church by the Rev. C. H. Werner. This will be the last service before conference. Special music has been arranged.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Frank went to Bolckow this morning to visit the latter's sister, Mrs. F. I. Dunn, and Mr. Dunn.

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REV. PRATHER IS BACK

Will Preach at Baptist Church Sunday. —Union Service at Night at First Methodist.

With three of the buildings undergoing repairs and several pastors on vacations, services will continue to be somewhat irregular Sunday in Maryville's Protestant churches.

Union services in the evening again will be held at the First Methodist Church, with the name of the pastor to give the sermon not announced.

At the Methodist Church, South, both Sunday school and morning worship will be held in the church proper again for the first time in several weeks. The changes which the church is undergoing will not be completed until the second Sunday in September, but they have progressed far enough to permit the placing of temporary chairs in the auditorium Sunday.

Sunday school will be held at 9:40 o'clock, and at 10:45 the regular morning preaching service, with a sermon by the pastor, the Rev. R. A. Mitchell, on "The Challenge of Christ." Epworth League will be held at 7 p. m.

At the First Presbyterian Church, the interior is being redecorated and no services can be held there. The various Sunday school classes, however, are meeting at the homes of the teachers. The pastor, the Rev. William N. Dewar, is out of the city on his vacation.

The Rev. Guy L. Prather, pastor of the First Baptist Church, has returned after four weeks spent in Colorado and he will occupy the pulpit at the morning service, beginning at 11 o'clock. Sunday school will begin at 9:30 a. m., and B. Y. P. U. will be held at 7 p. m.

The Rev. Mr. Prather, accompanied by Mrs. Prather and their three daughters, Anna Hazel, Elizabeth and Charlotte, returned to Maryville Tuesday after a motor trip which took them over 2,500 miles. Most of the time they spent at Aguilar, Colo., with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rose. They also visited Trinidad, Colorado Springs, Ratone, N. M., a rodeo in the San Luis Valley and other interesting points.

At the First Methodist Church the regular Sunday school, Epworth League and morning services will be held, but in the absence of the pastor, Dr. C. C. James, the pulpit will be occupied by a layman. Sunday school will be at 9:30 and the morning worship at 10:45 o'clock.

Repair work on the First Christian Church is progressing well, but it is impossible to say yet how long it will be before the work is completed. Until then, the High School building will continue to be used for both Bible school and worship.

All the Bible school classes, including the men's class, are meeting at the High School, and attendance is reported holding up exceptionally well. If 350 are present Sunday, the average for August will be close to 450.

The sermon theme for the pastor, the Rev. R. E. Musgrave, at the morning service will be "Characteristics of the Old Jerusalem Church." This service begins at 10:30 o'clock.

Hopkins Churches to Resume Own Services

Period Of Union Services Ends.—Baptists To Have Annual Roll Call And Dinner.

After six weeks of Sunday evening union services, the Hopkins churches will resume their regular services Sunday.

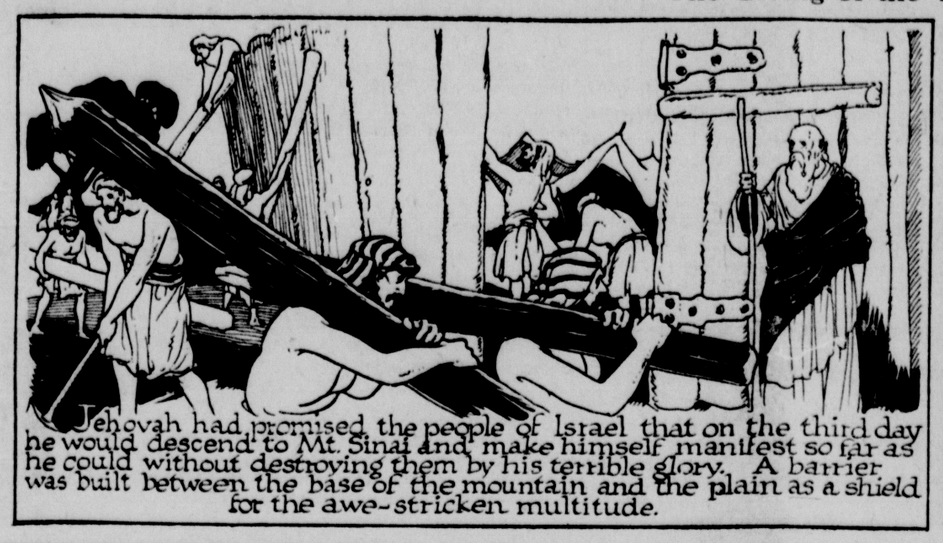
At the Methodist Church, Sunday school will be held at 9.45 o'clock and there will be worship at 11. The evening service will be a change from the usual, O. H. Sayler having agreed to give a resume of his trip to England and France with the Shenandoah Kiwanis Club tourists.

The Rev. S. B. Harman, pastor of the Christian Church, is back and that church also will return to its regular schedule Sunday, with Sunday school at 9:40 a. m., and preaching services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

The Baptist Church has designated Sunday as the day for its annual roll-call and basket dinner. There will be preaching at the morning hour by the pastor, the Rev. A. L. Gartin, after which the dinner will be served and a social hour spent. At 2:30 o'clock there will be another period of worship. The public is cordially invited and those without means of conveyance will be cared for if they will call either Clyde or E. C. Melvin, Jim King, of Frank Miller.

DRAMATIC EVENTS IN BIBLE HISTORY : : By Walter Scott and Harlowe R. Hoyt

The Giving of the Ten Commandments


Jehovah had promised the people of Israel that on the third day he would descend to Mt. Sinai and make himself manifest so far as he could without destroying them by his terrible glory. A barrier was built between the base of the mountain and the plain as a shield for the awe-stricken multitude.

Lightning swift and deadly played about Mt. Sinai while thunder crashed and great trumpetings announded the coming of Jehovah. An earth quake shook the mount and twice, at God's command, Moses descended to warn the watchers not to pass the barricade.

Then while the topmost peak of Sinai was hidden in thick smoke clouds, Moses drew near to God in the midst of the awful manifestations of Deity, and the Lord gave to him the ten commandments written with his own hand on two stone tablets.

HOW TO LIVE LONG AND PROSPER

Comment on the Uniform International Sunday School Lesson for August 29, 1926. Read Exodus 20.

Wm. Southern, Jr.

In the great library at Berlin, carefully preserved, are sheets of papyrus upon which are Egyptian characters. Scholars have translated the record and tell us that the pieces are parts of the Egyptian Book of the Dead and date back as far as 4500 B. C.

In this record is given a long list of the replies the spirit of the dead gives to Osiris when brought up for judgment. In this list are these:

I have not lied.
I have not murdered.
I have not committed adultery.
I have not stolen.
I have not been a tale-bearer.
I have not cursed God.

It was a repetition of the Egyptian code of laws and if the spirit could honestly answer he was entitled to the reward which should come to the honored dead.

When Moses came down from Mount Sinai amid the flashings of lightnings and the roaring of thunders, the shaking of the earth and the swirling of smoke clouds, he bore in his hands tablets of stone on which were engraved what we have ever since called the Ten Commandments. These became the declaration of faith for the Hebrew nation and the base of the laws of all nations since that time. They formed the constitution of a people free and civilized enough to give up a part of their own personal selfish liberty for the precious liberty and welfare of the nation as a whole.

Since that time no code of laws has ever been adopted anywhere but the ten commandments are embodied. In our study a week ago the first four of these ten articles of faith were discussed. Here are the six which complete the decalogue:

Honor thy parents.
Thou shalt not kill.
Thou shalt not commit adultery.
Thou shalt not steal.
Thou shalt not bear false witness.
Thou shalt not covet.

Moses had an enormous task before him. He was the leader of a multitude of people who had been slaves and who knew no law. They had not been responsible. Before slavery was abolished in the United States the owner of a slave was responsible under the law for the things which his slave might do and was punished accordingly.

Moses was undoubtedly acquainted with the law codes of Babylon, of Chaldea and of Egypt. He had been especially educated in the laws of Egypt. As a priest and as a member of the royal family he was familiar with the Book of the Dead.

Here is where his Hebrew mother came in. He was also familiar with the religion of his people and he believed in God. It was to God he went when he knew not where to turn. In the mountain he received the inspiration which gave us the decalogue.

When the ten commandments were read and the people began to understand what they meant there was a great silence, then a great babbling. Some of the stronger spirits protested "He is taking away our personal liberty. We have always killed our enemies. Shall we be cowards and not resent an insult? Are we not to make raids and bring back spoils?"

Many of us have, perhaps, considered the ten commandments as mere moral precepts. We easily agree with the man who says you can not legislate a man to goodness. Perhaps we go with some who say that the ten commandments are out of date and have no place in our present day civilization.

Perhaps also some of our young people the fifth commandment will seem a very surprising thing. Parents in this day and age are not in step. Some of the mothers even wear long hair and the fathers think that too much spending money is not good for the youth.

A short time ago I was startled by a statement that prohibition was not a moral issue, as such. After studying over this suggestion I concluded that the statement was in part correct. As a part of the law of the land prohibition ceases to be exclusively a moral issue and becomes a law for the benefit and the welfare of the people, just as are all other good laws. Laws are not made to make people good but to make it possible for people, states and nations to live together in peace, harmony, prosperity and mutual protection.

Apply this view to the ten commandments and they become exactly such laws. They are not laws for any one class, they are not laws to restrain those who are moral and, who believe in God, if all were such we would not need any laws. The ten commandments represent a necessary change as we come from savagery to civilization. An individual gives up a part of his personal liberty for the benefit of the family, the family gives up a part of its personal liberty for the tribe and the tribe gives up a part of its personal liberty for the benefit of the nation.

Basic laws were absolutely necessary to make a nation of free and liberty loving, self governing people out of the Hebrews.

The ten commandments form the constitution upon which all other laws are based. In them are enunciated the vital principles which make possible Christian communities.

Do not forget that these basic laws were inspired of God, that Moses was selected by God, thrown into the only possible situation which could qualify him for the great work that he had to do. Do not forget that without God and His inspiration no progress could be made in the world, the United States could not have been, the Declaration of Independence would never have been written, for God raised up the patriots who made this nation and gave them the wisodm and courage to do His work.

A generation ago every child of school age in this country could repeat the ten commandments in order and tell the story of Moses. I do not know if this is true today. If it is not it should be, for no man or woman can be a good citizen who is not familiar with this great constitution which embodies the faith of all peoples everywhere.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS: DUTIES TO MAN.

Scripture Lesson—Exodus 20:12-21.

12. Honour thy father and thy mother; that thy days may be long upon the land which the Lord thy God giveth thee.
13. Thou shalt not kill.
14. Thou shalt not commit adultry.
15. Thou shalt not steal.
16. Thou shalt not bear false witness against thy neighbor.
17. Thou shalt not covet thy neighbour's house, thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's wife, nor his manservant, nor his maidservant, nor his ox, nor his ass, nor any thing that is thy neighbour's.
18. And all the people saw the thunderings and the lightnings, and the noise of the trumpet, and the mountain smoking; and when the people saw it, they removed, and stood afar off.
19. And they said unto Moses: Speak thou with us, and we will hear; but let not God speak with us, lest we die.
20. And Moses said unto the people, Fear not; for God is come to prove you and that his fear may be before your faces, that ye sin not.
21. And the people stood afar off, and Moses drew near unto the thick darkness where God was.

Golden Text.—Thou shalt love they neighbor as thyself.—Lev. 19:18.

An Evening Sermon Only at Quitman

No morning preaching service will be held at the Methodist Church in Quitman, as the pastor, the Rev. J. H. Fannon, will preach at Rockford. The regular evening services will be held at Quitman, however, with Mr. Fannon taking as his subject, "Prophet Optimism."

"We are near the end of the conference year, and we are wondering what will be next," says the Reverend Mr. Fannon.

Holy Land Lecture at Burlington Jct.

The Rev. Mr. Van Houten of Shenandoah will address the union church services Sunday night in the Christian church at Burlington Junction. His subject will be "In His Steps" and will be a travelog on the Holy Land.

The Methodist Episcopal Church at Burlington Junction is already making preparations for a union Armistice Day service to be held Sunday night, Nov. 12.

Clearmont Church to Decide on Dinner

At the Christian Church in Clearmont the Sunday school and church will decide Sunday upon the date for the election of officers of both church and Sunday school, with a basket dinner. Delegates to the county convention also will be appointed Sunday. The county convention of Christian churches is to be held September 3 at the Salem church, south of Maryville.

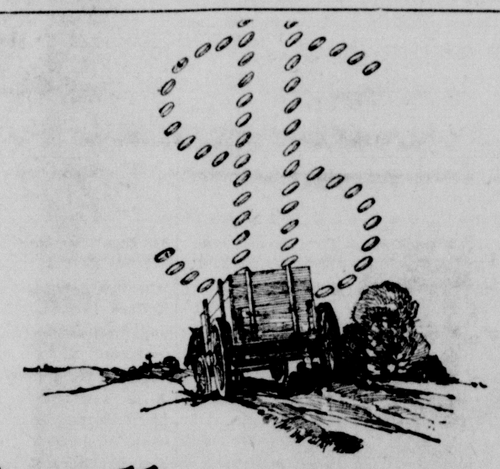
Sunday school at 10 a. m., and church communion services at 11 a. m., are announced by the pastor, the Rev. M. I. Rose.

The Rev. H. F. Dorcas, pastor of the Methodist church, announces preaching at Good Hope in the morning and at Clearmont at night.

For the Baptist Church, the pastor, the Rev. W. W. Laughlin, announces the usual services Sunday. The Northwest Missouri Baptist association will meet on Sept. 9 and 10.

Preaching At Rockford.

Regular services will be held at Rockford church Sunday, with preaching at 11 o'clock by the Rev. J. H. Fannon of Quitman. Miss Opal Mallory will sing. Mr. Fannon's sermon subject will be "What Is Man?"



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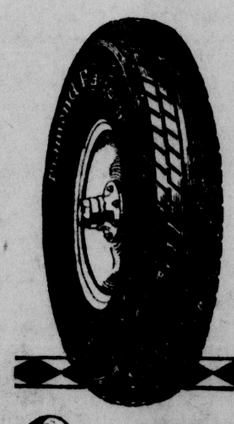

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2—Maribel Caves, Wisconsin. Curious caves in limestone formations near State Highway No. 16 between Manitowoc and Green Bay.

3—Clifty Falls State Park, Indiana. Rugged, thickly wooded, with many deep gorges. Contains Clifty Falls, ninety feet in height, and a series of many smaller cascades. Near Madison, State Highways No. 40, No. 26 and No. 6.

4—Old Fort Larned, six miles west of Larned, Kansas. On an island in the Arkansas River, a battle occurred in 1870 between the Cheyennes and Arapahoes. National Old Trails Road.

5—The Camel's Hump, a two-crested butte near the town of Sentinel Butte, North Dakota. State Highway No. 3.

6—Pilot Knob, Missouri, a shaggy peak rising 1,600 feet above sea level, named by Mississippi River pilots when river travel was in its heyday from the fact that its sharp summit was a guide post on clear days. North of Ironton, State Highway No. 21.

7—Piasa Bluffs, Illinois, where Father Marquette in 1673 found the famous Piasa Bird and other weird monsters painted. Piasa Bird has been restored. Wonderfully picturesque district. North of Alton, State Highway No. 3.

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THE STORY.

CHAPTER I.—Barbara Devon's wedding and departure of her honeymoon leaves her brother "Laurie," successful playright but somewhat inclined to wildness, without her restraining influence. His theatrical associates, Rodney Bangs and Jacob Epstein, promise to "keep an eye on him."

CHAPTER II. — Laurie, who is wealthy, refuses to settle down to work, announcing his intention of resting and seeking "adventure." From his window in New York he sees the reflection of a beautiful girl in a mirror in the house opposite.

CHAPTER III.—Devon learns from the elevator boy in the girl's house that her name is Mayo. Again in the mirror's reflection he sees her with a revolver and fears she means to commit suicide. He breaks into her apartment and, winning her confidence, induces her to lunch with him, though she warns him of "danger."

CHAPTER IV.—Perceptibly agitated by the arrival of a man in the restaurant, she mutters that he has "found her." Learning that she is unmarried and the man has no claim on her, Laurie, incensed, accosts the stranger.

CHAPTER V.—Accusing the man of annoying Miss Mayo, Devon warns him to end his espionage. The stranger is politely sarcastic, but from him Laurie learns the girl's first name is Doris. She tells him her persecutor is Herbert Ransome Shaw.

Chapter VI.—To Louise Ordway, his invalid sister-in-law, and firm friend, Laurie admits he is "interested" in Doris, not revealing her identity.

CHAPTER VII.—Doris resolutely declines to meet Mrs. Ordway, and sternly vetoes Laurie's suggestion of applying to the police to protect her from Shaw.

CHAPTER VIII.—With Rodney Bangs, young Devon calls on Mrs. Ordway again, but only Rodney is admitted to the sick-room. His visit perceptibly cheers the invalid.

CHAPTERIX.—Laurie has Doris agree to place a bright-hued scarf in her window, which he can see from his own, as a signal she needs help. Accosting Shaw, Devon, at his invitation, accompanies him to his rooms. There he meets another man, Shaw's "secretary." Shaw demands that Laurie stop interfering in Miss Mayo's affairs, and Devon's determined refusal results in a general fistic mixup, during which Laurie is chloroformed.

CHAPTER X.—Laurie recovers consciousness next morning in a cellar, from which he makes his escape. From his room he sees the signal of distress hanging from Doris' window.

CHAPTER XI.—Laurie learns that Doris went away with two men whom he recognizes as Shaw and his "secretary." In Doris' room he finds a scribbled note the girl had left, intimating she is being conveyed to Long Island, to an "old house." In his speedy car he sets out to follow her.

CHAPTER XII.—Disguised as a tramp, in clothes procured at a garage, Laurie gains entrance to the house, overpowers a female caretaker, and finds Doris unhurt but, naturally, in a highly nervous condition. They find themselves prisoners.

CHAPTER XIII.—Laurie gets the door open, but, to his astonishment, the girl seems unwilling to leave. While they hesitate, Shaw, the secretary, and two laborers surprise them. The young man fights them off and escapes, leaving Doris.

Save for his revelation on the morning they met, this was the longest personal confidence Laurence Devon had ever made to another human being except his sister Barbara. At its end, as she could not speak, he watched her for a moment in silence, already half regretting what he had said. Then she rose with a fiercely abrupt movement, and going to the window stood looking at the storm. He followed her and stood beside her.

"Laurie," she said suddenly.

"Yes?"

"I can't stand it."

"Can't stand it?"

He repeated her words almost absently. His eyes were on a stocky figure moving among the trees below. It kept in constant motion and, he observed with pleasure, it occasionally stamped its feet and swung its arms as if suffering from the cold.

"I can't stand this situation."

"Then we must clear it up for you." He spoke reassuringly, his eyes still on the active figure. "Is that one of our keepers, down there?"

She nodded.

"He has instructions to watch the front entrance and windows. There's another man watching the rear."

"I hope he hasn't a nice little bottle of chloroform in his overcoat pocket, or vitrol," murmured Laurie, reflectively. "By the way," he turned to her with quickened interest, "something tells me it's long after lunch time. Is there any reason why we shouldn't eat?"

She smiled.

"None whatever. The icebox contains all the things a well-regulated icebox is supposed to hold. I overheard Shaw and his secretary discussing their supplies."

"Good! Then we'll release Mother Fagin long enough to let her cook some of them."

He strolled to the bedroom door. On a chair facing it the woman sat and gazed at him with her fierce eyes.

"Would you like a little exercise?" he politely inquired. There was no change of expression in the hostile face. "Because if you would," he went on, "and if you'll give me your word not to cry out, give any kind of alarm or signal, or start anything whatever, I'll take the bandage off your mouth and let you cook lunch for us and for yourself."

The fierce eyes set, then wavered. He waited patiently. At last the head nodded and he expeditiously untied the bandage.

"The very best you've got, please," he instructed. "And I hope you can cook. If you can't, I'll have to do it myself. I'm rather gifted that way."

"I can cook," avowed the old woman sullenly.

"Good work! Then go on your joyous way. But if you feel an impulse to invite into your kitchen any of the gentlemen out in the grounds, or to release the secretary, restrain it. They wouldn't like it in here. They wouldn't like it at all."

A strange grimace twisted the woman's sardonic features. He interpreted it rightly.

"I'm glad you agree with me," he said. "Now, brook trout, please, and broiled chickens, and early strawberries and clotted cream."

She looked at him with a return of the stoic expression that was her habitual one.

"We ain't got any of those things," she declared.

"We ain't?" Her guest was pained. "What have we got?"

"We got ham and eggs and lettuce and milk and coffee and squash pie." He sighed.

"They will do," he said resignedly. "Do you think you could have them ready in five minutes?"

The luncheon was a cheerful meal, for Laurie made it so. When it was finished he went to the kitchen window, opened it, and carefully arranged several hot ham sandwitches in a row.

"For the birdies," he explained. "For the cold little birdies out in the grounds."

"This storm will be a good thing for us," he mentioned to Doris, when they had returned to the upstairs sitting room. "It will be dark soon after four, and the snow will cover our footsteps. But I'm inclined to think," he added, reflectively, "that before we start I'd better go out and truss up those two birds in the grounds."

She showed an immediate apprehension.

"No, no! you mustn't think of that!" she cried. "Promise me you won't."

He shrugged his shoulders.

"As you wish, of course. But if they interfere when we're getting started, surely you'll let me rock them to sleep, won't you?"

She did not move, but gave him a look that made him thoughtful. It was an odd, sidelong look, frightened but watchful. He remembered that once or twice before she had given him such a look. More than anything else that had happened, this glance chilled him. It was not thus that the woman he loved should look at him.

Suddenly he heard her gasp, and the next instant the silence of the room was broken by another voice, a voice of concentrated rage with a snarl running through it.

"So you're here, are you?" it jerked. "By G—d, I'm sick of you and of your d—d interference!"

He turned. Shaw was standing just inside the door. But he was not the sleek, familiar, torpid figure of recent encounter. He seemed mad clean through, fighting mad. His jaws were set; his sleek head and heavy shoulders were thrust forward as if he were ready to spring, and his protuberant eyes had lost their haze and held a new and unpleasant light.

But, angry though he appeared, Herbert Ransome Shaw was taking no chances in this encounter with his undesired guest. Behind him shone the now smug countenance of the blond secretary, and on each side he was flanked by another man. Powerful fellows these two seemed, evidently Italian laborers, gazing at the scene uncomprehendingly, but ready for any work their master set them. In stupefaction, Laurie stared at the tableau, while eight eyes unwinkingly stared back at him. Then he nodded.

"Well, Bertie," he said pleasantly, "you're outdoing yourself in the size of this delegation. Four to one. Quite some odds." His voice changed. "You contemptible coward! Why don't you take me on alone? Have you got your chloroform cone?"

The complexion of Shaw, red with cold, darkened to an apoplectic purple.

"You'll soon find out what we've got," he barked, "and what's coming to you. Now, are you going to put up a fight against four, or will you go quietly?"

"I think," said Laurie thoughtfully, "I'd rather go quietly. But just where is it I'm going?"

"You'll soon know." Shaw was carrying a coil of rope, light but strong, and now he tossed it to one of the Italians.

"Tie him up," he curtly ordered.

"Oh, no," said Laurie, backing a step. "Tut, tut! I wouldn't advise that. I really wouldn't. It would be one of those rash acts you read about."

Something in his voice checked the forward stride of the Italian with the rope. He hesitated, glancing at Shaw. With a gesture, the latter ordered the two men through the door.

"Wait just outside," he directed. He turned to Laurie. "Out you go!" he ordered brusquely.

Laurie hesitated, glancing at Doris, but he could not meet her eye. At the window, with her back to the room, she stared out at the storm. Even in that moment her attitude stunned him.

His First Blow Sent the Blond Secretary to the Floor, Where He Lay Motionless.

Also, he felt an unconquerable aversion to anything in the nature of a struggle before her. Perhaps, once outside the room, he could take on those ruffians, together or in turn.

Without another word, he crossed the threshold into the hall. Before him hurried the two Italians. Behind him crowded Shaw and the secretary. He walked forward six strides. Then, as the side railing of the stairway rose beside him, he saw his opportunity. He struck out right and left with all his strength, flooring one of the Italians and sending the second helpless against the wall. In the next instant he had leaped over the slender rail of the stairway, landed half-way down the stairs, and made a jump for the front door.

As he had expected, the door was locked. Shaw, if he had entered that way, had not been too hurried to attend to this little detail. Laurie had just time to brace his back against it when the four men were upon him.

If he could have taken them on one by one he could have snapped their necks in turn, and he would have done so without compunction. As it was, with four leaping at him simultaneously, he called on all his reserve strength, his skill in boxing, and the strategy of his football days.

His first blow sent the blond secretary to the floor, where he lay motionless. After that it was hard to distinguish where blows fell. What Devon wanted and was striving to reach was the throat of Shaw, but the slippery thing eluded him.

He fought on with hands and feet, even drawing, against these odds, on the savate he had learned in Paris. Blood flowed from his nose, his ear and his lip. Shaw's face was bleeding, too, and soon one of the Italians had joined the meek young secretary in his slumbers on the floor. Then Laurie felt his head agonizingly twisted backward, heard the creak of a rusty bolt, and, in the next instant, was hurled headlong through the suddenly opened door, to the snow-covered veranda.

As he pulled himself up, crouching for a return spring, Shaw, disheveled and breathless on the threshold, jerkily addressed him.

"Try it again if you like, you young devil," he panted, "but remember one thing: the next time you won't get off so easily."

The door slammed, and again the bolt shot into place. Laurie listened. No sound whatever came from the inner hall. The old house was again apparently dead, after its moments of fierce life. He slowly descended the steps, and, bracing himself against the nearest tree, stared at the house, still gasping from the effects of the struggle.

He was out of it, but he had left Doris behind. The fact sickened him. So did the ignominy of his departure. He was not even to be followed. His absence was all the gang desired. His impulse was to force the door and again face the four of them. But he realized that he could accomplish nothing against such odds, and certainly, as a prisoner in the house, trussed up with Shaw's infernal rope, he would be of no use to either Doris or himself. He decided to return to the garage and get his car and the weapon he had left there. Then, if the four still wanted to fight, he would show them something that might take the spirit out of them.

Having arrived at this sane conclusion, he turned away from the silent house, and, hatless and coatless as he was, hurriedly made his way through the heavy snow-drifts toward the public road.

CHAPTER XIV.

Mr. Shaw Decides to Talk.

At the garage he found Burke faithful to his trust and with an alert eye out for more five-dollar bills. The proprietor temporarily lost sight of these however, in his sudden and vivid interest in the new patron's appearance.

Laurie answered his questions with a word that definitely checked the further development of curiosity. Then huddling over the stove, and warming his icy soaked feet, he curtly outlined his intentions. He was going to change back into his own clothes, he explained, and he would want his car at five o'clock sharp. This, he intimated, would give Burke a little more than half an hour in which to get his mental processes started again and to have the car ready.

Burke whistled inaudibly. Obviously the joke the lad had played had not panned out to the young man's taste. Burke was sorry for that. His experience had been that with these young "rounders" generosity went hand in hand with success and its attendant exhilaration; and that when depression set in, as it obviously had done in this instance, a sudden paralysis numbed the open palm.

However, even granting that this was so, he had already been largely overpaid for anything he had done or might still be expected to do. He nodded his response to the young man's instructions, and though he was not a subtle person, he succeeded in conveying at the same time a sense of his sympathy with the natural annoyance of a high-spirited practical joker whose joke had plainly miscarried. Ordinarily his attitude would have amused Devon, but Laurie was far from his sense of humor just now. Still whistling softly, Burke departed, to make a final inspection of the car, leaving Laurie the sole occupant of the cramped and railed-in-corner that represented the private office.

That young man was in the grip of a characteristic Devon rage, and as he rapidly got back into his own clothing his fury mounted until the blood pounded at his temples. He dared not let himself sum up the case against Shaw, though the manner in which he had been kicked out savored strongly of contempt. Evidently Shaw didn't care where he was, so long as he was outside of the house.

Neither dared he sum up the case against Doris, though he could not for a moment banish from his mind the picture of her as she had stood with her back to him and his four assailants. Why had she stood thus? Because she was indifferent to any fate that befell him? Or because she was numbed by her own misery? Crowding forward with these questions was a sick fear for her, alone in that sinister house with four thugs and an old hag whose sole human quality seemed to be a sardonic sense of humor exercised at his, Laurie's, expense.

What might happen to her? What might be happening even now? And what assurance had he that even if he again succeeded in entering the house, a very remote possibility, he could accomplish anything against Shaw and his companions? Oh, if only he had waited and brought Rodney with him! Together, he felt, the two of them could have met and overcome a regiment of men like Shaw and his secretary.

A wild impulse came to him to take Burke with him in his second effort, but an appraising look at that seedy individual cheeked it. He was convinced that Burke could neither fight nor keep his mouth shut. Owing to his promise to Doris, police help, of course, was out of the question. No, he must go back alone. But this time there would be no semi-ignominious departure. He would either bring Doris away, or he would remain there with her. And if Shaw wanted trouble, he'd get it, and it would be the real thing.

That afternoon, on his first visit to The Cedars, his new instinct of caution had made him leave behind him the little revolver he had brought. He knew his own hot temperament too well to risk carrying it, and he had an arrogant faith in his own physical strength which, as a rule, had been justified. Now, however, he retrieved the weapon, and with a sudden tightening of the lips dropped it into his overcoat pocket.

When he was dressed he went out to look over his car. Burke, who was evidently fascinated by the slender racer, rose from an admiring inspection of the engine as its owner approached.

"She's ready any minute, now," he reported. "She's had gas, oil and air, and I've put on the chains. Thought you'd want 'em, in this storm."

Laurie nodded and glanced out at the window. The storm had developed into a blizzard. His optimism, somewhat numbed in the past hour, reasserted itself to suggest that nature was helping him to meet the odds against him in the old house down the road. He glanced at his watch. It was not yet quite five, but certainly there was darkness enough for his purpose. He could safely take the car into the side wood road near The Cedars, and leave it there among the trees until he needed it. He handed Burke his final offering, the size of which wholly dispelled that philosopher's pessimistic forebodings. Jumping into his car, he backed it out into the storm.

"Hey, there! What about these clo'es?" demanded Burke, indicating with a thumb the abandoned heap of garments in the office.

"Eat 'em," briefly advised the occupant of the disappearing car. Burke shook his head. Garage men are used to hectic human types and strange happenings, but this particular type and incident were new to Burke. He was also interested in the discovery that the young fella wasn't going to New York, now that his joke was played. He was going straight up the road, in the wrong direction, and driving like the devil. Well, anyway, Burke had made a tidy bit on that joke, whatever it was. Gazing affectionately at the latest crisp bill, he thought of his wife and the seventh, and nobly decided to forgive them both.

Laurie, his hot head cooled by the storm that beat against him, raced through the gathering darkness. He had the road to himself. In weather like this no one was abroad who could stay at home. He turned off into the country road, already deep in snow drifts, and swept on through the little wood whose leafless birches now look unfamiliar, even spectral, in the increasing gloom. Save for the soft purr of his engine, his progress made no sound. He drove as far as he dared, then stopped the car off the road, in a clear space among the trees, and continued his way on foot. He must leave the car there, and take the chance of having it discovered. In the storm and darkness that chance seemed very remote.

He plunged on toward the house, knee-deep, now, in the drifts that swept across the narrow road. Soon the building was visible in its somber setting, and as he stared at its dim outlines his heart leaped. In the right-hand corner, on the second floor, a light showed faintly through drawn shades. The sight filled him with an overwhelming relief. Until he saw it, he had not realized how great his inner panic had been. He stopped, drew a deep breath, and stood staring up at it.

The rest of the house looked black and uninhabited, but somewhere within it, he was sure, Shaw and the blond secretary watched and waited. To the Italians he gave no thought. He was convinced that neither of them cared to come alone to close quarters with him; and this conviction was so strong that the prompt retreat of the fellow with the rope had not surprised him, either at the moment or in retrospect, though both men had fought well under Shaw's eyes. If the Italians were again on guard in the grounds, it would be his job to choke them off before they could warn Shaw of his presence. Warning Shaw, he hoped, was about all they were good for.

His plan, fully made, was very simple. He had no intention of risking another encounter if it could be avoided. His purpose was to get Doris out of that house, back to New York, and in Louise Ordway's care with the least possible difficulty and delay. That done, he could take up his little affair with Shaw. Even against the blond secretary he felt no personal rancor. The youth with the pursuing eyes and the chloform was merely a wretched pawn in Shaw's game.

In Shaw's game! The phrase stuck, burning into his consciousness like the vitriol he believed the beast would use if he dared. What was Shaw's game? Why was he so smugly sure of it? And why, oh, why, why, was Doris seemingly numb to its danger, yet anxious for his help? For the first time he gave definite shape to a reflection that for hours had been trying to catch his attention, and from which he had restively turned. It was this:

(Continued Tomorrow)

A SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR OUR HEALTH

Six Points of Hygiene Are Emphasized by Washington Expert as Necessary in Any Plan to Improve Community Welfare.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.
United States Senator From New York.
Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

DR. ROYAL S. COPELAND

In a Washington paper the other day I read a report of a public meeting held to consider health matters in the public schools. Superintendent of Schools Frank W. Ballou, outlined his ideas of an adequate health program for the public schools.

Dr. Ballou mentioned six points which he considers essential. They are as follows:

1. Medical inspection and examination of every pupil entering the public schools.
2. Recording of the physical defects found upon examination.
3. Correction of defects by doctors, nurses and dentists, and by a health training program in the schools.
4. Appropriate instruction in health training.
5. A systematic course in health teaching, extending through the elementary and high schools.
6. Reasonable insistence placed on the correction of physical defects as one of the prerequisites to promotion from grade to grade, and graduation.

Two or three years ago I quoted Dr. Ballou, and at that time expressed approval that the head of a great school system should have such accurate knowledge of the physical needs of his pupils. Too often the schools teach everything except how to live. They teach the natural sciences, literature, history, mathematics, and the languages. I admit at once the importance of each of these subjects, but all of them put together mean nothing to a graduate, who is without health. All the degrees in the world and the possession of a Phi Beta Kappa key will not recompense for a broken body.

If there could be included in the curriculum of every school, instruction in sanitation and personal hygiene, I have no doubt that the sickness and death rate of this country would be greatly reduced.

It is essential to the highest degree of community progress to have a perfect co-operation between the health officials, and the educational authorities. The importance of this is shown by Dr. Ballou's insistence upon recording physical defects, having them studied by the medical officers, and then having the educational authorities insist upon the correction of physical defects before promotion is had from one grade to another.

It is not uncommon to require good health before issuing "working papers." By this I mean that if a child is under the necessity of seeking employment before he reaches the age when he is free from the obligation to attend school, he must give evidence of having had treatment for any physical defects. Glasses must be fitted if they are needed. The teeth must be put in proper condition. Diseased tonsils and adenoids are removed, and a physical examination determines whether the lungs and heart are normal.

I suppose when we are really civilized there will be such strict attention in every home to the discovery and correction of physical defects that governmental interference will be unnecessary. Until that happy day arrives, however, I hope the school and health authorities will heartily co-operate in order to guarantee for every community as well developed children as are to be found anywhere in the world.

Answers To Health Queries.

A Reader. Q.—What causes white spots to appear on the skin, and is this condition dangerous to the health in any way?

2.—What will clear up dandruff?

A.—This trouble is due to loss of pigment. No, it is not dangerous and will not affect the health.

2.—Keeping the scalp immaculately clean and using a good hair tonic should bring about results. For further particulars send a self-addressed, stamped envelope and repeat your question.

A. B. Q.—What sort of skin condition would too much sugar cause?

A.—In some instances it might cause acne and pimples or eczema. Send self-addressed, stamped envelope for further particulars and repeat your question.

S. L. R. Q.—Is there any way one may fatten the fingers; also the legs?

A.—Gaining weight in general may help. Add to your diet milk, cream, eggs, plenty of fresh vegetables and fruits. Make sure the bowels eliminate properly. Send self-addressed, stamped envelope for further particulars and repeat your question.

L. M. C. Q.—What do you advise for brown spots on the face?

A.—This condition may be due to liver spots. Send self-addressed, stamped envelope for further particulars and repeat your question.

A. L. Q.—What is the cause of poor circulation?

2.—What is the cause of gas on the stomach?

A.—This trouble is usually due to run-down condition of the general health.

2.—Faulty diet and improper diet will cause gases, due to indigestion and fermentation. Correct these conditions and you will benefit generally. For further particulars send a self-addressed stamped envelope and repeat your question.

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FOR SALE—Singer sewing machine. Almost new.—Hanamo 3743.

PRIVATE SALE—Household goods Saturday and Monday.—123 East 5th Hanamo 6342.

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WANTED—TO RENT 44

WANTED—Two or three rooms furnished for lighthousekeeping.—Address 140 Democrat-Forum.

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FOR SALE—Some good farms reasonably priced. F. H. Barrett, Special Deputy Finance Commissioner at Bank of Hopkins, Hopkins, Mo.

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FOR SALE
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Well located house. Large lot on pavement, $4,200 cash.
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WANTED—REAL ESTATE 49

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LEGAL NOTICES 51

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Notice is hereby given that The County Court of Nodaway County at 2 o'clock, on the 6th day of September, 1926, will let to the lowest responsible bidder, a fill containing approximately 2000 cubic yards to be let at a unit price per yard. Bids will be received up to 2 o'clock on the day of letting. The Court reserves the right to reject all bids. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the County Surveyor. Location of Fill: Section 17; Township, 66; range, 35.

FRED W. SMITH,
County Clerk.
GEO. S. MILLER,
Engineer.

WORKMAN CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Mitchell and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell and Mr. and Mrs. Vern Mitchell and son spent Sunday with Seneca VanAusdale and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Reams and Mr. and Mrs. James Butler and children of Lincoln, Neb., spent the week-end at the Pierson home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper, Mrs. Nancy Cooper, Mrs. Susan Hayes, and Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hayes and son, Cecil, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sears and daughter, of Dallas City, Ill., Mrs. Goldia Atwater, of Lay Hark, Ill., and Harve Grimes of Hopkins, spent Sunday with Mrs. Lizzie Sears.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierson and children, Lee, Charles, Cecil, Thelma and Lavell, spent last week with Mrs. Pierson's sister, Mrs. Henry Hall and Mr. Hall and family at Van Wert, Ia.

Miss Jane Swinford of Arkoe has been employed to teach the Lone Valley school for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Thornhill and children of Maryville, were callers at the Charles Pierson home Tuesday evening.

John Knisley attended a family reunion at Shenandoah, Ia., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierson and daughters, Maye and Thelma, and son Lavell, and Mrs. James Dillon of Skidmore, attended a family reunion at the Dillon home in Forest City, Mo.

DAILY MARKET REPORT

ST. JOSEPH LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 2,000; market 15c to 25c higher.
Top, $13.75; bulk, $10 to $13.60.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,000; market steady.
Bulk of steers, $8.25 to $9.50.
Cows and heifers, $3.50 to $9.25.
Calves, $6 to $14.
Stockers and feeders, $5.50 to $8.50.

Sheep.

Receipts 3,500; market steady to 15c higher.
Lambs, $13.25 to $14.85.
Ewes, $5 to $6.50.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 2,000; market 15c to 25c higher.
Bulk, $12.15 to $13.40.
Heavies, $11.65 to $12.60.
Butchers, $12.60 to $13.50.
Lights, $13.40 to $13.75.
Pigs, $12.50 to $13.50.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,200; market steady.
Prime fed steers, $9.50 to $10.80.
Dressed beef steers, $7.25 to $9.50.
Western steers, $7.35 to $10.35.
Southern steers, $5.25 to $8.25.
Cows, $3.50 to $7.
Heifers, $5.50 to $10.25.
Stockers and feeders, $5.50 to $8.50.
Bulls, $4.25 to $5.50.
Calves, $6.50 to $14.50.

Sheep.

Receipts 3,000; market steady.
Spring lambs, $12.55 to $14.85.
Yearlings, $9.50 to $10.50.
Ewes, $4.50 to $6.50.
Wethers, $7.25 to $8.25.
Stockers and feeders, $12.50 to $13.75.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,500; market steady.

Hogs

Receipts 5,500; market 35c to 40c higher.

Sheep

Receipts 5,000; market 10c to 15c higher.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 16,000; market 10c to 25c higher.

Cattle

Receipts 2,000; market, all classes steady.

Sheep.

Receipts 17,000; market slow; fed lambs 15c lower.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Receipts 1,500; market, beef steers nominally steady.

Hogs.

Receipts 13,500; market 10c to 15c higher.

Sheep.

Receipts 1,000; market, fed lambs, 10c to 25c higher; other classes steady.

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 2 red, $1.34 to $1.34½, No. 3 red, $1.32 to $1.32½; No. 2 hard, $1.36; No. 3 hard, $1.35.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 78½c; No. 3 yellow, 77½c; No. 3 mixed, 76c; No. 3 white, 76½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 38½c to 40c.

HAY—Timothy, $5.30 to $5.75; clover, $23.50 to $31.25.

RYE, 91c; BARLEY, 50c to 70c.

Chicago Grain Table.

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Sept.	1.34⅝	1.34⅞	1.32½	1.33¼	1.34⅞
Dec.	1.37⅝	1.38	1.35⅜	1.36½	1.38¼
May	1.42⅜	1.43⅛	1.40¾	1.41⅜	1.42
CORN—					
Sept.	.77	.77½	.76¼	.76⅞	.77⅝
Dec.	.82½	.83	.81⅞	.82½	.83
May	.89	.89⅜	.87⅞	.88½	.89¾

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

WHEAT—Receipts 196 cars; hard, 1c to 3c lower; red, ½c to 1c lower; No. 2 hard, $1.26½ to $1.32½; No. 3 hard, $1.26½ to $1.32; No. 2 red, $1.27½ to $1.28; No. 3 red, $1.25 to $1.27.

CORN—Receipts 11 cars; market unchanged; No. 2 mixed, 77c to 78c; No. 3 mixed, 75½c to 76½c; No. 2 yellow, 80c to 81c; No. 3 yellow, 78c to 79½c; No. 2 white, 77c to 78c.

OATS—Receipts 6 cars; market unchanged to ½c higher; No. 2 white, 39½c to 40c.

RYE—No. 2, 92c to 93c.

BARLEY, 62c to 64c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $12 to $13; timothy, No. 1, $15 to $15.50; alfalfa, choice, $21.50 to $22.50.

Eggs, 30c; selected, 35c.

Butter, 43c to 44c; packing, 23c.

Hens, 22s; turkeys and young toms, 30c; broilers, 26c; ducks, 16c; geese 9c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Wheat prices crumpled under an avalanche of selling orders in today's session of the Chicago Board of Trade.

Other grains also dipped to a close well below that of yesterday. Wheat closed 1⅝ cent off, but at one time it was fully 4½ cents under yesterday's price. There was no new element in the news to cause a break. Operators simply seem to have realized how large the Northwest spring wheat movement will be and that there will be a large surplus of grain if export business does not pick up.

The East started the selling. There was only a little good buying. Weather reports from Canada and Minnesota mentioned a few scattered showers, but on the whole they were very favorable for threshing and excellent growing weather.

The posting of 110,000 bushels of grain as out of condition in local elevators and the weakness in wheat caused corn to close ⅞ cent lower. Cash was ½ to 1 cent lower.

Oats sagged with other grains, closing ⅝ to ¾ cent off.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Cream, per lb.	36c
Eggs, per doz.	24c
Hens, per lb.	18c
Light Hens, per lb.	15c
Heavy Hens, per lb.	20c
Springs, per lb.	20c
Leghorn Springs, per lb.	17c
Cocks, per lb.	9c
Ducks, per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	5c

PUBLIC SALE

Saturday, Aug. 28
2:30 p. m.

As I am leaving town will sell at my home, on 627 West 2nd Street, the following property:

Dressers, library table, bedsteads, mattresses, springs, sanitary cot, stand tables, dining tables and chairs, kitchen cabinet, 4-burner oil stove, oven and dishes, canned fruits and other household articles.

Auctioneer, Mr. A. J. Cox.

MRS. MARY STRONG

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: The Optimist

YESSIR, PEE WEE, WE'VE SURE HAD A SWELL TIME TOGETHER THIS SUMMER. HAVEN'T WE?
BUT NOW IF THE BOSS SHOULD LOSE HIS SHOW I'LL LOSE MY JOB SURE 'CAUSE THEN BUZZER'LL BE BOSS AND HE'S PALS WITH KALA PASHA AND THE MAHOUT-
THEY'D GET ME CANNED SURE - THEY'D LIKE TO DROWN ME IF THEY COULD GET AWAY WITH IT, I BETCHA-
OH, WELL - NO USE O' WORRYIN'- IT HASN'T HAPPENED YET. AND MOST LIKELY WON'T - 'S ONLY FOUR MORE DAYS NOW TILL TH' END OF TH' MONTH - CAN'T MUCH HAPPEN IN FOUR DAYS-
HAROLD GRAY
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COAL

Now is an opportune time to purchase your COAL —as to Price and Quality.
Cars of the following Coal on track and in transit:
Wyoming Lump
Royalton Franklin County Lump, Egg or Nut.
No. 2 Central Illinois Nut.
Western Kentucky Lump, Egg or Nut.
Good supply of Wood, Feed and Hay.

ICE - ICE

Cash and Carry, per cwt. at platform
60c
Yours for business.
WM. EVERHART

CONFIDENT OF ACHIEVEMENTS

SIXTH ANNIVERSARY OF WOMEN SUFFRAGE IS HERE

HOUSE CLEANING TALK

Leaders Point to Past Deeds and Warn Men That They Can Start "Political House Cleaning"

By JULIAN M. SNYDER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Washington, Aug. 27.—Leaders of women's organizations celebrating the sixth anniversary of the enfranchisement of women in this country today pointed with pride to their political achievements during the last six years, appealed to women throughout the nation to join in the movement for greater equality with men and warned the nation that women now have the power to institute a "political house cleaning."

Although the end of six years of enfranchisement finds the women divided into at least two major camps—the League of Women Voters and the Woman's Party—both sides view with pride the achievements of women in the political arena.

Summed up, these achievements are:

Women in legislatures in 36 states, total—133.

Two women governors—Nellie Ross, Wyoming, "Ma" Ferguson, Texas.

Half a dozen women in Congress.

A woman on the Supreme Court bench in Ohio.

Numerous women mayors.

Miss Belle Sherwin, president of the National League of Women Voters, in a statement written for the United Press today, said:

"The most significant result of six years of woman suffrage is the woman voter's contribution to the open mind in politics. Woman's entranced into the political field also has created a new conception of what to vote for. It has become a political habit for them to study candidates of all parties, the merits of all campaign issues and the election laws themselves.

"The first six years of woman suffrage mark no new era in definite results at the polls, because of the woman vote. But here and there where women have taken the leading part in local elections, the result has been a political house cleaning."

The League of Women Voters has no national membership list but the total membership is estimated at about 1,000,000. The League claims among its achievements an increased woman vote and the adoption of the world court resolution.

The Woman's Party, smaller, more militant and radical, is at odds with the League over the question of "equal rights in industry." The Woman's Party, which has a membership of 25,000, wants no legal discriminations in industry favorable to women because it argues such laws "legislate women out of jobs." An employer will hire a man rather than comply with such legislation, it claims.

"We want equal rights with men in every field," Miss Edith Ainge, treasurer of the Woman's Party told the United Press. "We favor a woman for president. At least half the cabinet should be women. We should like to have an equal number of men and women in Congress."

The Woman's Party, through Senator Curtis, Rep., Kan., has introduced an amendment to the Constitution reading:

"Men and women shall have equal rights throughout the United States and every place subject to its jurisdiction."

In their war against discriminatory legislation members of the Woman's Party have investigated all the laws of every state in the Union and claim to have drafted 506 bills, subsequently passed by the various states.

"By the passage of these bills, 60 points in the equal rights campaign, effecting the lives of 26,000,000 women have been won," the party claims.

The treasurer's report shows the Woman's Party has spent $1,263,534.19 to further the cause of woman's rights since 1912. For the suffrage campaign during which more than 100 of their members were imprisoned for picketing and militant tactics, $796,053.19 was expended. In the equal rights campaign up to May 1, 1926, the party spent $443,408.94.

Both the League of Women Voters and the Woman's Party already have begun their campaigns for the fall elections. The League in addition to its "get-out-the-vote" campaign will support a program of "law enforcement"—generally taken to mean enforcement of prohibition—and the direct primary system.

The Woman's Party has launched an "elect-women-to-Congress campaign and will seek the support of its proposed equal rights amendment.

St. Louis-Pittsburgh Tilt by Radio Sunday

Democrat-Forum to Receive Play-By-Play Report of Championship Series—Special Railroad Rates.

The Pittsburgh-St. Louis National baseball game at St. Louis Sunday will be received by radio at The Democrat-Forum and Tribune office through the courtesy of Harry C. Todd, manager of the Hanamo Telephone Co., through WDAF, the Kansas City Star station.

The 5-game series, which opens Sunday with a double header at 1:45 o'clock, is vital in the National League race. The Pirates, by virtue of a victory yesterday while St. Louis was losing, are in the lead, but the Cardinals are on the heels of the leaders, tied with Cincinnati for second place. The detail play will be given over the radio.

Several persons in this vicinity are planning to take advantage of excursion rates to St. Louis, offered by the Wabash railroad. From Maryville a round trip rate of $6.50 has been made, tickets to be good going tonight and tomorrow and returning from St. Louis not later than 6:30 o'clock Sunday night.

The Wabash also offers a round-trip excursion rate of $2 to Omaha and return for this Sunday, while the Burlington is offering a fare-and-one-half rate to St. Louis for the greater St. Louis Exposition, good on all trains September 3, 6, 8, 10, 13, 15, and 17, with the final return limit seven days from the date of sale, not to exceed September 21.

Albany Boy Is a Base Ball Hero

"Big Moose" Clabaugh Breaks National Record While Playing In Texas.

Albany Capital).

An honor has been bestowed on Albany by one of her "athletic sons" who, as a member of the Tyler, Texas, baseball club of the East Texas League, stepped into fame Sunday, by knocking his sixty-second home run of the year and becoming the champion of organized baseball in number of home runs knocked.

"Johnnie" Clabaugh, known in his league as "Big Moose," is now wearing the crown of the "Home Run King" and as the result of his honor was sold to the Brooklyn National League team and has reported to them for the remainder of this season.

The former record for home runs was held by Tony Lazzeri, with a count of 60 in 197 games, while Clabaugh knocked 62 in 120 games played. This not only is a larger number, but a much larger per cent, figuring a home run for every two games played throughout the entire season. He also beat the record of "Babe Ruth" of 59 home runs.

John Clabaugh was born in Albany and has lived here practically his entire life. He is the son of Mrs. Katie Clabaugh, and received his education in the Albany schools and later in Palmer College, where he began his athletic career. He is 24 years old, is 6 feet, 4 inches tall and weighs 178 pounds.

He first started in organized baseball three years ago as a member of the Topeka Club of the Southwestern league. He was than sold to the Ardmore Club of the Western Association, and then bought by the Kansas City Blues, and was given a week's tryout. He was then sold to Paris of the East Texas league and from there went to Cleveland in the American League. Cleveland farmed him out to Decatur, Ill., in the Three I League for a year and then sold him back into East Texas league as a member of the Tyler team.

"Big Moose" played as left fielder on the Tyler Team, but is also a first baseman. He is described by Branch Rickey, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, as having the best follow through in his swing that he has ever seen.

Wild Horses Are Being Killed and Shipped to Europe

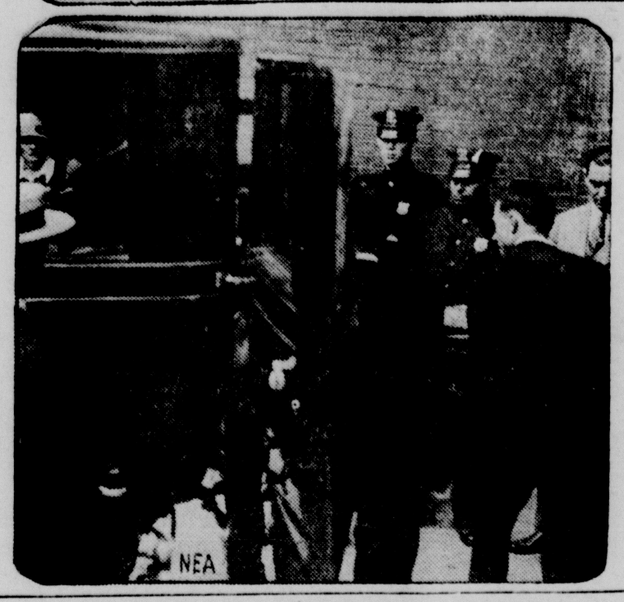
Portland, Ore., Aug. 27.—The American Humane Society recently learned what is becoming of the useless wild horses of the west when Colonel E. Hofer, president of the Oregon Society informed it that the animals were being mercifully killed and shipped to Europe as food.

The animals are being killed by the hundreds, the meat is shipped to Europe, hoofs are made into combs and bones converted into fertilizer, Colonel Hofer said. He pointed out, however, that the horses were mercifully killed and that the ill treatment which prevailed when live animals were shipped to a chicken feed factory in California, had been ended by the systematic slaughter.

Sues on a Note.

A suit filed today was by the Citizens Bank of Graham against Lloyd R. Bond. The petition states the balance due on the note was $131.50.

When Rudolph Valentino Died



Crowds of friends, admirers and idlers lined the sidewalks before the Polyclinic Hospital, New York, when word spread that Rudolph Valentino was dying there. The upper picture shows a group standing across the street just before the film star's death. Police made them move on just before the picture was taken. Below is shown the body of Valentino, in a casket, being placed in a hearse at the hospital door for removal to an undertaking establishment.

Lewis Brothers Buy Paper at Clarinda

Ed and Stuart Lewis of Burlington Junction closed a deal last week in which they purchased the Page County Democrat at Clarinda and will take possession Sept. 1. The Lewis Brothers formerly were publishers of the Burlington Junction Post.

France owes more money than a drinking man.

Imports of Dairy Products Lower

Washington, Aug. 27.—Imports of dairy products were lower the first six months of 1926 than during the corresponding period of the two previous years.

Butter imports decreased from 16,965,73 pounds in the first half of 1924 to 3,978,563 in the first half of 1926; imports from Canada dropped from 2,557,535 pounds in the first half of 1925 to 42,602 in the first half of this year.

Cheese imports have increased, however, from 26,182,740 pounds in the first six months of 1924 to 28,505,882 this year.

Trip Across Atlantic Will Cost About $600

Director Of Zeppelin Works Gives Figures On Probable Cost Of Airship Trips Across Ocean.

By FRIEDRICH LAUDON

Berlin—Six hundred dollars will be approximately the cost of an airship trip over the Atlantic in the future, Dr. Hugo Eckener, famous German airship expert and director of the Zeppelin Works, declared in an article written for the "Deutsche Zeitung."

According to his statement, which may be considered as a revelation of the far-reaching schemes of the German dirigible industry, it is planned to construct three Zeppelins of a new type—one and a half times the size of the "Los Angeles" which are to ply once a week across the Atlantic.

In contradistinction to airplane routes, which in the opinion of Dr. Eckner are not paying propositions for distances exceeding 1,500 miles, the intended airship service will need on governmental support but will bear a thoroughly commercial character.

"Its profitableness is beyond doubt Dr. Eckner emphatically asserted.

"After close study, I found that the annual profit may be estimated at nearly three million dollars."

This Atlantic line, however, is only supposed to be the first thread of a net of interoceanic airlines to be woven which shall embrace all parts of the world.

German press reports state that this first route is to be closely followed by a Spanish-South American line. There is no doubt among German airship industrialists that such a development may count on the wholehearted support of the Spanish nation, as Spain is most eager to get into closer touch with her sister nations on that Continent.

A Pacific line is also being taken into consideration. Japan is said to have shown great interest in these plans and is expected to favor energetically not only the creation of an air route to the United States but also a regular connection with the Latin-American countries.

Exportations Show July Trade Balance

Washington, Aug. 27.—Increased exportations of Manufacturers and importation of crude materials was announced by the commerce department recently in an analysis of a favorable $29,127,000 trade balance for July.

Values of exports of finished manufacturers were seven per cent higher in the seven months ending Aug. 1, than the corresponding months of 1925, while the value of the raw materials imported was 4 per cent larger.

Photographers Study Psychology of Child

Cameramen Learn Interesting Things About Child Raising From Observation Of Studio Subjects.

Chicago, Aug. 27.—Years service in the juvenile photography business gives the cameraman some interesting sidelights on child rasing.

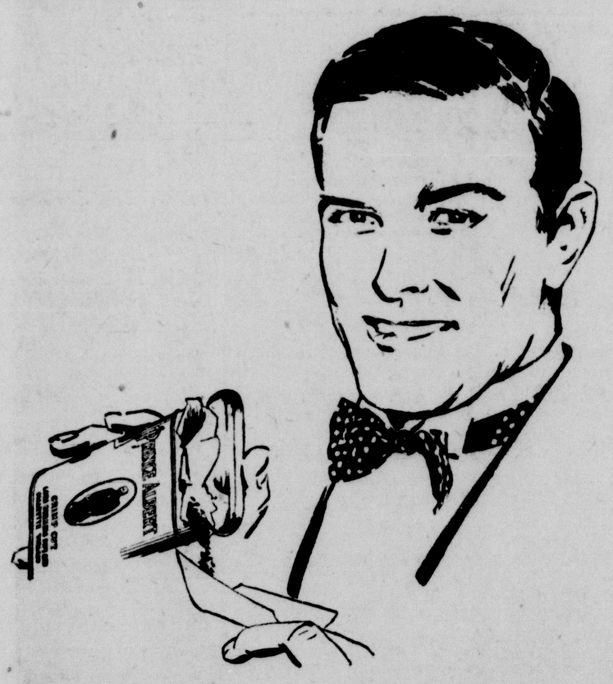
Walter Scott Shinn, who for the last tyenty-five years has been so engaged in New York has learned a few valuable hints for mothers. Shinn has studied and analyzed children to some extent, and believes from his observations he knows a thing or two for the welfare of the development of the younger generations.

Rules by him include: Never allow the child more than one toy at a time; this develops concentration. Teach an affirmative viewpoint. Too many dont's spoil a child. The child should be led not driven. He said an irritable child is unhealthy and mentally disorganized.

Married by Judge Sayler.

Frank Lee Rachau and Faye Ellen Helms, both of Skidmore, were married late yesterday afternoon by Judge J. H. Sayler, justice of peace.

Just rolling along with PRINCE ALBERT



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You never weary of rolling and smoking them. The reason for all of this is the wonderful quality of the tobacco. Prince Albert has no near-relatives. Not even a second-cousin. To get the most out of a home-rolled cigarette, you must get Prince Albert. That's a prescription—and a promise!

Pipe-smokers, too, know the joys of a jimmy-pipe packed with P. A. They'll tell you that P. A. *does* things to a pipe—makes it perform in a way a good pipe should. No matter how settled you *think* you are, if you don't know Prince Albert, you don't know *complete* pipe-joy.

P. A. is sold everywhere. And always with every bit of bite and parch removed by the Prince Albert process.

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